

## PATROLMAN MOORE MAKES BIG CATCH

Two Burglars Who Have Ransacked the City.

Nearly Dozen Jobs Traced to Pair by Identification of Property in Possession.

BOTH ARE HEAVILY ARMED.

Through the bravery of Patrolman J. N. Moore, of the west end beat, without a partner, two negro house-breakers, who have been pilfering stores, residences and other places since August 9, were lodged behind prison bars, and authorities have a clear case against them. One of them is one of the three who entered Chief of Police James Collins' residence one Sunday last summer and stole his dinner, which had been set on the table ready for the chief and company he was bringing home.

Sunday morning about 3 o'clock Patrolman Moore was at Eleventh street and Broadway. He saw the two acting in a suspicious manner and going up to them commanded a halt. They ran, and Moore pulled his revolver and fired twice. One bullet passed through one fugitive's trousers leg and the other through his companion's coat, neither inflicting wounds. This stopped them. Moore came up and began a search, finding three loaded revolvers on one. The other broke away and ran. Moore brought the prisoner to police headquarters, where it was found he had pocketbooks, pistols, money and sundry articles identified later as taken from Ed Gilson's drug store Ninth street and Broadway.

"The Pie Man."

The prisoner gave the name of Charles Johnson and was identified as the "pie man" who served six months in jail for stealing Chief Collins' dinner.

Scouts were detailed on a search for the escape, and Patrolmen Cross and Johnson located him on Terrell's farm and arrested him late yesterday morning. He gave the name of Charles Jones, and on him were found three pistols, some jewelry and other articles. A trip was made to their residence, in the rear of Huntington Row. Surprise is a mild expression to describe the state of mind of the policemen when the house was searched. Silverware, pistols, jewelry, pocketbooks, stamps, tooth brushes and various other articles of merchandise including several dozen coats and vests and an overcoat or two, with watches and even a clock or two, were carted to the police station for identification. Clothes stolen from Louis Levy's store on August 9 were identified in the lot. James Duffey, colored, who runs a pressing club on South Ninth street, identified many suits as stolen from him last week. Managers of the Ideal Pressing club on Jefferson street near Fifth street identified clothes stolen from them last week. Dr. Ed Gilson identified many articles stolen from his store Sunday morning and Mr. W. C. Gray, whose residence was robbed last week, identified silver ware, pistols and an overcoat. Everyone who fell a victim to burglars and housebreakers in the past month identified articles found in possession of the two prisoners.

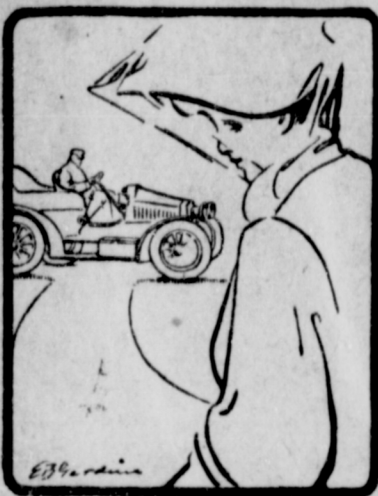
**The Gun Robbery.**

Tearing two doors open and entering from the rear by means of a heavy plank used as a battering ram, thieves ransacked the Ed Gilson drug store at Ninth street and Broadway Sunday morning, pulling every drawer open, going into the cash drawers and cash register, and breaking part of the cash register. They took purses, pistols, tooth brushes, stamps, and a small ten cent cash register which they thought contained money. It was only a short time after completing this job that the two were spotted and stopped by Patrolman Moore having pistols on them taken from the drug store. All the time, while the men rummaged through Dr. Gilson's stock, the proprietor was in a room above soundly sleeping.

**Is He Wanted in Louisville?**

Clem Buchanan colored, thought to be wanted in Louisville for murder, was arrested Saturday night and locked up pending an investigation. He was arrested at the wharf by Patrolmen Cross and Johnson who received a tip that he was wanted in Louisville.

## WEATHER FORECAST.



## PLEASANT

Slightly falling temperature. Threatening showers.

## IN MOROCCO.

Paris, Sept. 2.—According to dispatches received from Tangier, the situation throughout Morocco is growing worse. Indeed, it may be said that there is a great alarm in many of the towns, and it is feared that France will find that she has a real war on her hands instead of a continuation of skirmishes with the tribesmen. Today the Matin's Tangier correspondent, in his dispatches, declares that foreign legations have made announcement of places of refuge for foreigners in case of emergency. This, of course, indicates that the situation is very grave. Refugees from Fez have arrived at Tangier on the French cruiser Du Chayle, from La Roche.

## MAYFIELD FIRE.

Mayfield, Ky., Sept. 2. (Special).—The residence of James Carter, on Sixth street, was destroyed by fire yesterday, the result of the explosion of a coal oil stove. No one was injured, but the house and household goods are a total loss. Insurance of \$1,500 covered the house, but Mr. Carter will be out between \$500 and \$1,000 on the furniture.

## SMITHLAND.

Smithland, Ky., Sept. 2. (Special).—Everett Jennings, the well known Democratic orator, of Madisonville, opened the campaign in Livingston county with an address today. There was a small attendance.

## JUDGE BREATHITT TO SPEAK AT BENTON

With Mayor Bingham, of Louisville, openly declaring the Democratic city and county primary will be a farce and a fraud, and the state administration acquiescing in the nomination of the old machine's candidate for mayor, Owen Tyler, the Kentucky metropolis is practically certain to go Republican and the state Republican committee is invading the stronghold of the opposition with their most valiant orators. Benton will greet Judge James Breathitt, of Hopkinsville, Thursday, September 19. Judge Breathitt is candidate for attorney general, perhaps, the leader of the Kentucky bar, and an orator without a peer in the state. He will speak September 18 at Eddyville.

## DOCTORS ON OUTING TO ILLINOIS LAKES

Doctors and their wives, members of the McCracken County Medical society, will enjoy their last summer's outing at Metropolis lakes tomorrow, leaving the wharfboat at 9 o'clock in a gasoline launch and returning at 4 o'clock. There will be a barbecue followed by this program: The Rev. W. T. Bolling, "The Preacher and the Doctor"; Dr. C. E. Purcell, "Hay Fever and its Treatment"; Dr. S. Z. Holland, "Remittent Fever"; Dr. Carl Sears, "Anatomy of Epithelial connective, muscular and nervous."

## ONE DEAD, FOUR HURT.

Result of Auto Accident—Driver Unfamiliar With Road.

Elmira, N. Y., Sept. 2.—An automobile plunged over an embankment at Pine City near here today, killing H. B. Smith and injuring four others. The chauffeur was unfamiliar with the road and when the automobile reached a sharp curve he failed to make the turn.

## WANT FAIR PLAY IN THE PRIMARY

Bingham and His Colleagues Refuse to make Race.

Say the Past Record of Democratic Machine Assures Them They Will Be Defrauded.

ARE DESERTED BY FRANKFORT.

In declining to go before the Democratic city and county primary in Louisville, Mayor Bingham and the other officers, who were appointed by Governor Beckham and now apparently have been deserted, make the following statement:

## The Statement.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 30, 1907. To the Public:

We accepted the office to which we were respectively appointed by Governor Beckham with full appreciation of the high honor conferred on us, but also with the full appreciation of the stern duties which were thus imposed. We felt that we were agreeing to perform a high duty, not only to the Democratic party, but also to the people of this city and county—a duty which could not be avoided or belittled, a duty which must be faithfully carried out no matter what the consequences might be to us or to others. We took an oath to do that, and we have tried to keep that pledge without fear, without partiality and without ill will to any man. We have misrepresented nobody; but we have concealed nothing which the taxpayers had a right to know. They have a right to know how their affairs have been and are being administered. We are Democrats and always have been. We believe he serves his party best who serves the people best.

We were willing to run if assured fair play.

When we accepted this trust from a Democratic governor, we expected to be candidates before the Democratic party for its approval and nomination. If we had not so intended, we would not have accepted the trust. We have been willing, ever since our appointment, to submit ourselves to a Democratic primary, provided we were reasonably well assured that we should have fair play at the hands of the Democratic committees of this city and county. When we perceived from the proceedings of the public meeting called by this committee, at the Seelbach in July, that a majority of the committee sympathized with and seemed to give encouragement to the men who had lost office or employment for one reason or another but through no personal ill-will on our part, and who, from envy or spite, were determined in advance to misrepresent and injure us, even though the Democratic party should be thereby weakened in its coming struggle, we felt that we could not get fair play before the committee. Nevertheless, we sought to bring about an agreement, which, while protecting us from injustice, would give assurance of fair play to everybody. That was all we desired. We were willing to submit our claims to our Democratic fellow-citizens in a clean, fair race, but were not willing to put ourselves in the unrestrained power of our declared enemies, who, as everybody knows, had long been charged by many Democrats with active partisanship and gross injustice in the primary conducted by them in 1903 and in 1905, and whose actions in the election of 1905 were condemned by the court of appeals, all of the judges but one being Democrats.

**Tuesday, September 24.**  
2:35 Class—Trot, 3 in 5 ..... \$250  
2:35 class—Pace, 3 in 5 ..... 250

## SWEET MEDITATION PSALMIST'S DREAM

Rev. J. R. Henry Calls for Halt for Calm Introspection and Holy Meditation.

"Meditation," taken from a verse of the Psalmist, was the theme of the Rev. J. R. Henry's first sermon at the Kentucky Avenue Presbyterian church yesterday morning, after his return from his vacation. It was a plea for a stated period every day for introspection and meditation, a brief spell from the bustling and jostling of life. The speaker said we, as a people, suffer with mental indigestion as much as with physical indigestion, the national ill. He compared the mind to a factory into which the suggestions of books and sermons are introduced as raw material to be made into the finished product by the process of thought and meditation. He distinguished calm meditation from rapid mental action. He showed how it was only by constant meditation and isolation from the world that great ideas and great inventions and great discoveries are born, and the beautiful imagery of the poet created.

Messrs. Gregory Harth, Oswald Cheek, Edwin Randle, James Cochran, Lloyd Robertson, and William Wilhelm are spending the day hunting squirrels out near Maxon's Mill.

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## SEEING THINGS IN DOG DAYS.



—Russell in Washington Post.

## Fall Race Meet will be a Big Event for Horsemen in Purchase as well as in Adjoining States

The fastest races ever run in western Kentucky will be every day features of the big fall meet of the Matinee club, during the horse show, September 24, 25, 26 and 27. Horses from all over the south and west, particularly Kentucky, Tennessee, Illinois and Missouri will be entered as the big purses make the meet most attractive to horsemen.

Everything is in shape now to take care of the horses and their owners, and the Matinee club hopes thus to make racing a regular annual event.

The officers of the Matinee club are: A. S. Thompson, president; John W. Keller, vice president; George H. Goodman, secretary and treasurer; F. C. Burnett, assistant secretary, and the directors are Ben Welle, Virgil Sherrill, V. J. Blow and Wallace Weil.

The program for the four days' racing is:

**Tuesday, September 24.**  
2:35 Class—Trot, 3 in 5 ..... \$250  
2:35 class—Pace, 3 in 5 ..... 250

**Wednesday, September 25.**  
2:20 Class—Trot, 3 in 5 ..... \$250  
2:15 Class—Pace, Paducah Traction Co. purse, 3 in 5 ..... 300  
Half Mile and Repeat—Running 100  
Mile Novelty Race ..... 100  
Three-quarter Mile Dash ..... 100

**Thursday, September 26.**  
2:25 Class—Trot, 3 in 5 ..... \$250  
2:20 Class—Pace, 3 in 5 ..... 250  
Free-for-all Pace—Paducah Brewery purse, 3 in 5 ..... 400  
Half Mile Repeat—Running ..... 100  
Mile Dash—Running ..... 100

**Friday, September 27.**  
2:20 Class—Trot, consolation, 3 in 5 ..... \$250  
2:20 Class—Pace, consolation, 3 in 5 ..... 250  
2:15 Class—Trot, Belvedere purse, 3 in 5 ..... 300  
Half Mile Repeat—Running ..... 100  
Three-quarter Mile Dash—Running ..... 100

## IMMORAL HOUSES GIVEN ATTENTION

Instructing specifically for an inquisition into houses of alleged immoral character, Circuit Judge William Reed sent the grand jury to its room this morning. His instructions were the same as characterizes every criminal term of circuit court except in regard to immorality and gambling.

## The Jury.

The first action of Circuit Judge William M. Reed this morning was the empanelling of the grand jury. The jury follows:

L. L. Jones, foreman; W. H. Patterson, clerk; C. A. Torrence, James Womble, Joseph Ullman, J. W. Hughes, W. T. Alexander, Joe Feast, J. H. Childress, George W. Boswell, J. A. Dickerson and James Conrey.

Following the empanelling of the jury Judge Reed began calling the common law docket. Nothing but routine work will be done today and tomorrow the petit jury will be empanelled and the regular trial of criminal cases gone into.

## GALA DAY

LABOR IS CELEBRATING AND EVERYBODY IS OUT.

Streets Crowded With Working Men and Families All Appear To Be Happy.

Labor Day for 1907 will long be remembered. Municipal officers, aldermen, councilmen, police judge, the mayor, city clerk, city treasurer, in fact every city employee, including the entire fire department and what part of the police force could be spared, participated in the parade.

Councilmen, aldermen, policemen and other city officials formed at the city hall. The fire department, every company, formed at different parts of the business section as directed by the grand marshal. Little delay was occasioned. Every trades union has been coached and knew its place. The carpenters from Mayfield participated.

Laboring men in all classes of garb, some in overalls, some in white caps and trousers, filled the streets from early morning, eager and anxious to participate in the parade. The best of order was preserved. Women and children were on the streets waiting for the monster parade.

Many unions built floats and added to the length of the parade. Some of the floats were works of art, having required several days to build.

There should be developed a high social organization to include such advantages as ease of communication, better educational facilities, increased comfort of living.

## FARMERS ARE KEPT AT HOME BY CROPS

Yet Many go to Benton to Hear Great Debate.

Dr. Ben L. Bruner and Ollie James Will Speak at Court House at 1 O'clock.

JOHN ALLEN MAKES ADDRESS.

(By Staff Correspondent.)

Benton, Ky., Sept. 2.—Benton will divide with Paducah the Labor Day crowd on account of the joint debate here between Congressman Ollie James and Dr. Ben Bruner, of Hart county, Republican candidate for secretary of state. It begins to look as if all Marshall county would be in town by noon, but the arrivals probably will slacken shortly, as the demands of the tobacco fields and corn will keep a good many farmers away from the speaking, and later speakers will get better attention from the husbandmen of Marshall. Experts estimate the crowd already gathered here at nearly 1,000.

The speaking will take place at the court house at 1 o'clock. At 11 o'clock John Allen, of Guthrie, began his address to the dark tobacco growers. The court room is comfortably filled and close attention is being given to the orator.

The order of the speaking this afternoon will be Dr. Bruner at 1 o'clock, followed by Ollie James. Then T. B. McGregor, Republican candidate for the legislature, will address the people, and John L. Smith of Kuttawa will close.

BELL NICHOLS.

## Lyon County Votes Dry.

Kuttawa, Ky., Sept. 2.—Lyon county Saturday voted against open saloons, the "drys" winning by a majority of 510. The total number of votes cast was 1,426. The election was quiet, although a great deal of interest was manifested.

## COURSE OF TRUE LOVE; GOODNESS, HOW ROUGH!

When Lon Tucker, colored, and his "lady love," Mattie Bush, left Rowlandtown park Saturday night they were in excellent spirits. Before they reached home, however, they quarreled and as a result are in jail, awaiting trial for malicious assault and malicious cutting, respectively. Tucker started the trouble by flooring Mattie with a brick at Twelfth and Harrison streets. Mattie did not approve of such conduct and pulling a murderous looking knife from the folds of her dress, stabbed Lon twice in the left side, one missing the heart only by the fraction of an inch. Patrolmen Ferguson and Prince made the arrest.

## TWO HIGHWAYMAN TRY TO ROB MARKET MAN

For the second time in two years highwaymen held up Ed Duffot, the veteran market man, while he was coming into market at Twelfth and Flournoy streets, at 3 o'clock in the morning. They were colored and drew guns on the plucky marketman who slashed at one of them with a hatchet and whipped up his horse, escaping. Two years ago he was held up in the same place and robbed of \$115.

## THOSE ON RETIRED LIST.

Of the United States Army Should Be Exempt From Jury Duty.

Washington, Sept. 2.—The war department has decided not to interfere to secure the exemption of retired officers and enlisted men officially from jury duty. It is said, however, that retirement does not change the status of such men, for they still remain part of the army and are entitled to exemption because of being on military duty. The state courts, it is believed, may be depended upon to determine what civic duties by retired soldiers do not interfere with military duty.

There should be better opportunities for social and intellectual life of value to young people and to women.

Messrs. Henry Rudy and Robert Phillips have returned from New York.





GATHERING OF THE GABOOTS—HAGENBECK'S &amp; WALLACE'S CIRCUS, SEPTEMBER 16.

## TOYLAND

A MUSICAL OPERETTA

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"TOYLAND AT KENTUCKY—MATINEE AND NIGHT.

### THEATRICAL NOTES

Santell the Great at The Kentucky. Manager Hany G. Hinksen, of Buffalo, N. Y., will present the Great Santell and all-star cultured vaudeville company at The Kentucky for a season of three nights and Saturday matinee, commencing Thursday, September 5. The company consists of 20 well known and popular performers and will undoubtedly give one of the strongest vaudeville shows ever seen in Paducah. The management claims that the show is unique, novel and amusing, consisting of all the latest songs, dances, sketches and pantomime extravaganzas. Among the company are such famous artists as Santell, Holliston and Holmes, Cameron and Toledo, Blanche Pearl, Burton Sisters, Daly and O'Brien, Williams and Dale, Foy and Johnson and Johnny Jones. It has been decided by the management to play this splendid attraction at popular prices.

The Carl Hagenbeck and Great Wallace Shows Combined which exhibit at Paducah Monday, September 16, have the only great blue-faced, red-nosed baboon in captivity. He is a giant in size and possessed of the strength of a hundred men. He presents a grotesque appearance with his mixture of fantastic embellishments and repulsive ferocity as he grins at the startled thousands—a degenerate man or a redeemed brute, which is he.

This giant mandril has passed through the Carl Hagenbeck school of trained animals and has thrown aside many antics of the brute creation and taken on many of the idiosyncrasies of the finite man.

He is at once a wonder and a mystery. The colors of the rainbow are emblazoned on the creature's form, but always in the very spots where one would least expect to see them. A bright azure glow, not in his eyes of "heavenly blue," but on each side of his nose, where the snout is widely expanded and swollen into two enormous masses. The surfaces of these curious and very unprepossessing projections are bedazzled with the cerulean tint above mentioned. Lines of brilliant scarlet and deep purple alternate with the blue and the extremity blazes with a fiery red.

The general color of the fur is an olive brown tint fading into gray on the under side of his limbs, and the chin is decorated with a small yellow beard. The ears are small, devoid of fur, and of a black color with a tinge of blue.

His queer grimaces and wise expression provoke both smiles and serious reflection. Does he think? Is the gleam of intelligence which occasionally flashes from his eye indicative of brain power? Or is it merely imagination and should this mandril be treated as an animal of the brute creation?

"Do you regard yourself as a servant of the republic?"

"Oh, yes," answered Senator Sorghum; "but the fact that I am a servant of the republic does not make me forget that I am the political boss of my particular district."—Washington Star.

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### Former Governor Durbin Declares That He was Offered a Huge Bribe.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 31.—Winfield T. Durbin, governor of Indiana from 1901 to 1905, made the sensational statement last night that soon after his inauguration as governor attempts were made to bribe him to turn over William A. Taylor, Kentucky's refugee governor, to the authorities of that state for trial on the charge of conspiracy to assassinate Senator Goebel.

The sum offered ex-Gov. Durbin, according to his own statement, was \$93,000 in cash.

Mr. Durbin said that Taylor had been advised of the attempted bribery after it was made, and was cognizant of all that had transpired at the meeting at which the \$93,000 was offered.

Durbin Invited To Conference.

Ex-Gov. Durbin said the first efforts to bribe him came in the shape of invitations to meet "certain gentlemen in Cincinnati" to discuss the connection of Taylor with the Goebel murder. He declined the invitation, saying that he would give no consid-

eration to the case outside of his own office.

State Senator Binkley, since dead, was then asked to come to Cincinnati. He met a number of Kentuckians in a hotel there by appointment. They told him they were anxious to have Taylor returned to Kentucky for trial, that there then remained a total of \$93,000 in the \$100,000 appropriation voted by the legislature. All this, they said, would be cheerfully paid to the Indiana executive if he would surrender Taylor to the Kentucky authorities, or make it possible for them to get him across the Ohio river into that state.

Frowns on Proposal.

According to Binkley's report to the governor they were not particular how the thing was accomplished as long as they succeeded in getting Taylor in custody, but they made plain the entire \$93,000 would be paid for such a service.

Binkley is said to have left the room as soon as the proposition was made, thereby indicating that he would have nothing to do with it.

### The Big Map.

The biggest map that ever was made, a map that will take generations to complete, is to have material additions made to it this summer. It is the topographic survey map of the United States being made by the geological survey, and this year field work is to be done in thirty-one states and four territories.

The people who live in localities that have already been completely surveyed and who know about the map find it an invaluable aid. It is prepared in such detail that every hamlet is shown and even every house, except where the buildings are closely crowded together in cities. Every road and path, every stream and ford and bridge, every hill and every stage of elevation of every hill are shown with precision.

The government manages to complete about 35,000 square miles of this map every year at a cost of \$350,000, or about \$10 a square mile. It has finished with Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut and New Jersey, and is almost done with several other states. Altogether a little over a third of the area of the country has been covered. The states that contribute to the work are getting the earliest benefit. Not only do they have maps made on a larger scale but they have thirteen additional sheets completed or nearly completed this summer. Even Alaska is coming in for benefit, and the most important mining districts will soon have maps on a scale of about one mile to an inch.

All the field work for this map is, of course, done in the summer time. It is a pleasure to know that during the silly season there is some useful work going on in the world somewhere.—Record-Herald.

### Diplomatic Dancing.

Dancing is, in fact, an accomplishment which, in the old world, is indispensable to every monarch, to every statesman, and to every diplomat. The royal or imperial quadrille with which most court balls are opened on the other side of the Atlantic, are full-fledged official functions, in which a cabinet minister or an ambassador may be called upon to take part at any time, and in which he is required to acquit himself with grace and skill.

A n envoy, who declined to join in a square dance of this kind on the plea of ignorance, might very well injuriously affect thereby the interests of the country which he represents, while poor old Emile Loubet, when president of the French repub-

lic, was forced, sorely against his will, to dance a few steps of the royal quadrille with Queen Alexandra, at the state ball, given in his honor at Buckingham palace (in spite of his pleas that he had never danced before in his life) lest the friendly relations of England and France should be impaired by the circulation of some foolish story to the effect that the president had refused to dance with the queen, or that the latter had declined to figure as the partner of the chief magistrate of the French republic.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

### Suitable Precaution.



Patient—I have come to consult you about my memory, which has been completely at fault lately.

Doctor—Ah, very remarkable, but I ought to tell you beforehand that in these cases I make it a rule that my patients pay in advance.

### Something in a Yawn.

We have noticed of late that there has been an increase of yawning among the laities. At first thought this seemed to be a lapse from good form, but now we notice in a valued contemporary that yawning is quite fashionable and that it has back of it scientific fashion, which is that it is healthy. There could be no better basis for a fashion than that it is the practice of health. It may reveal in a few cases some irregularities of teeth, but we are all mortal, and the teeth may not have been one's pride. But the true soul does not observe these discrepancies, but stands out on the sunny slopes of the "new thought" and admires the yawn as the self-assertion of a lofty soul. And when on the trolley you see Aurelia, across the way, opening wide the portals of her fair face, remember she is only adding another grace to the beauty that nature has so bountifully provided her.—Ohio State Journal.

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LENDLER and LYDON



## Mrs. Girardey's Millinery Announcement

MRS. GIRARDEY wishes to announce that she has bought the Millinery Department of Rudy, Phillips & Co. and will be glad to have her customers call to see her display of new Fall Styles.

## Inspiration in Mustard Seed.

As far back as history goeth there has been poetry and as far back as poetry goeth, poets have taken their ideas from the oddest places, but it is the safest sort of wager that Wallace Irwin, who wrote the lyrics of Raymond Hitchcock's new musical farce, "A Yankee Tourist," is the only poet who ever found inspiration in a jar of mustard.

It was the date of the first performance of "A Yankee Tourist" last season, in the little town of Elvira, the birthplace of Miss Helen Hale, when Wallace Irwin, the lyricist, and Alfred G. Robyn, who composed the score of "A Yankee Tourist," arrived in the one-nightstand on a Pullman sleeping car. They had traveled all night through rain, lying under blankets that possessed the peculiar quality of cold flap-jacks and the two men were anxious to introduce something hot into their innards. So they hustled to the nearest hotel, seated themselves at the breakfast table, hailed the sleepy waiter and demanded "lamb chops and coffee."

"Wouldn't you like to have a little mustard?" asked the waiter.

Loud unison chorus composed of Irwin and Robyn: "NO."

In the course of a long hour the waiter returned with the fodder.

"I did not order chow-chow," said Mr. Robyn after sipping the cup.

"I did not order sheep," said Mr. Irwin after tasting a chop.

"Wouldn't you like to have a little mustard?" asked the waiter.

"No," yelled both men.

"It's very nice," said the waiter.

"I will take some Worcestershire sauce," said Irwin, "to disguise the sheep."

Questing the sauce the waiter remained ten minutes. He returned with a jar of mustard. "We got no Worcestershire," he said apologetically, "but wouldn't you like to have a little mustard?"

"I think that scans," said Irwin. "Repeat it slowly."

"Wouldn't you like to have a little mustard?"

"Why that's good metre for music!" exclaimed Mr. Robyn, and to prove his statement he hummed a tune which fitted the words.

They drove the waiter away, and with the mustard pot set in the table's center as a fount of inspiration, Mr. Irwin began to lyricize and Mr. Robyn to compose on the table cloth.

Suddenly Mr. Irwin slammed his pencil into the platter of sheep and said decidedly, "I absolutely refuse to write verse about mustard." Then an inspiration hit him right in the

middle of the forehead.

"Why not change the word 'mustard' to 'sweetheart'?"

"Great!" said Robyn, and their pencils began to scamp madly over the cloth.

In half an hour they had written the song hit of "A Yankee Tourist," which is rendered in the second act by the Misses Helen Hale, Flora Zabelle and Eva Fallon, under the title, "Wouldn't You Like to Have a Little Sweetheart?"

When this story was repeated to Mr. Hitchcock he demanded a notary public's seal to accompany it. It was secured.

### Very Different.



"Mary Carter is much more sentimental than I thought. She even keeps every letter her old lover writes her!"

"That isn't sentiment, my dear. It is good, hard, breath of promise sense."

**OWL RINGS TOWN FIRE BELL.**  
Rouses Residents From Slumbers and Then Bursts Blood Vessel and Dies.

Clinton, N. J., Sept. 2.—"Clang! clang!" sounded the bell of the Methodist church here. The village sprang from its profound sleep, for the church bell is its fire alarm. So every man jumped into his clothes and ran to the church. No one could find a fire. "Clang! clang!" The bell still sounded. It was uncanny.

Giles Van Riper finally spoke up boldly. "I'll go up to the belfry if some of you fellows will go with me." He got a lantern, and, followed by a few bold spirits, climbed the steep stairs and raised a small trap-door leading to the belfry. At that instant a white object dashed down at him, slashing his upturned face.

Yelling, Van Riper let fall the lantern, and he and his companions fell over each other in their flight to the street.

For a few seconds the bell tolled vigorously; then it remained silent. But not a man dared again to go to the belfry in the dark. They waited from 2 o'clock until daylight came, and then—

A huge white owl had attacked a flock of pigeons dwelling in the belfry. One of its claws caught in the frayed bell rope, and in its struggles it rang the bell. The owl was dead, hanging to the manila strand. In its struggles to attack Van Riper it had burst a blood vessel!

### Fast Trains.

An Englishman, an Irishman and a Scotchman were one day arguing as to which of the three countries possessed the fastest trains.

"Well," said the Englishman, "I've been in one of our trains, and the telegraph poles have been like a hedge."

"I've seen the milestones appear like tombstones," said the Scot.

"Be jabbers!" said Pat, "I was one day in a train in my country, and we passed a field of turnips and a field of carrots, also a field of cabbage and parsley, then a pond of water, and we were going that quick I thought it was a broth!"—Tit-Bits.

"Can you support my daughter comfortably?"

"Well, I can if she doesn't insist on being engaged!"—Houston Post.

### DESIRE FOR A CHANGE.

Not Due to Fatigue, But to the Monotony of Everyday Tasks.

Despite the love and interest we bear our associates and surroundings, a time comes when we grow weary and faded, and naturally long for some sort of "change." We have no desire for a substitution of other objects and faces as a permanency; we merely seek to break the monotony of things before entering on a fresh chapter in our lives.

The desire for "a change" can hardly derive its origin from the nature of our occupation. There is nothing common to all professions and businesses which clamor for stated relief. Nor can the desire for "a change" be due to mere fatigue, because this is alleviated by daily recurring periods of rest. Moreover, the natural laws provide that each repetition of an act renders its performance both easier and more simple.

Some men talk of the necessity for rest as though every fragment of mental and physical power was completely exhausted. Yet on close observation of them, when the desired change has been secured, it is quite evident their powers were not seriously weakened.

There may be some temporary failure of energy brought about by sheer monotony, but this is a very different thing from complete exhaustion. The centers of force from which strength and energy are derived may easily become lethargic from an unavoidable lack of fresh stimulus.

The common round of daily life, in the home as well as in the house of business, in consequence of its monotonous routine, ceases at times to stir the centers of energy and strength of purpose; and when these springs of force are not vigorously active there is a lack of interest in the work, and, therefore, a feeling of loss of power.

Now, the way in which "a change" operates is not so much by affording exemption from toil as by supplying fresh stimulants for the lethargic centers of energy. This point is important because it directs attention at once to the way in which "a change" should be employed.

Every mistaken notion that the weariness demanding the change is the outcome of exhaustion must be entirely put aside. The physical and mental powers are not used up; they are merely asking for some variation of the stimulus. The fire may have died down, but simply because it has not been properly stirred.

The motor, the yacht, the fishing rod, the gun and the camera, in their legitimate uses, play the part of stimulants, though not to all of us in a like degree. Some find what they need walking through country lanes and villages; others prefer the continental trip with its hubbub of foreign tongues. There are persons more happy when encountering the discomforts of a tour or excursion, and there are other more sensitive individuals who, instead of being stimulated by difficulties to travel, would quickly succumb.

The perpetual round of excitement, that obtains at most seaside resorts is hardly the sort of stimulant for the jaded nerves and tired body of a busy worker. Something must be radically wrong in the "change" if, on returning to one's home and business, the routine duties seem to be more than ever distasteful.

The "change" that best suits the average person is one that stirs up his energies naturally and honestly, and in perfect accord with his ordinary mode of life. Energy thus elicited will add to the stock of useful force, and will prove to be available long after the holiday has passed. Unless some such effect as this is produced, the "change" has failed of its purpose, viz., the brightening of life and the improvement of mental and physical health.—Pearson's Weekly.

### THE EDWIN BOOTH TOBACCO FORMULA.

Make me up a package of tobacco according to the formula used by Edwin Booth," said the man with a southern accent.

"That is the third man who has asked for that kind of tobacco today," said the dealer. "It is strange that people from remote parts of the country as well as New Yorkers make a tad of buying the same brand of tobacco that Booth smoked. And it isn't always the Booth mixture that they want. I have filed away the formulas for mixing the favorite tobacco of many famous persons. Smokers the country over have heard of this collection of recipes and one feature of every man's trip to New York is to try a pipeful of some big man's favorite tobacco. In most cases this special mixture is so strong that the nerves of the average smoker cannot stand it. He has to give up after a few pipefuls and go back to a popular mixture, but he has the satisfaction of having had the experience."—New York Sun.

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### RELATED SHOT EXPOSES FRAUD.

Army Man Fires From Cover to Make Good Score for Friend.

Pacific Grove, Cal., Sept. 2.—A curious instance of misdirected friendship, which involves a new offense against military law, occurred at the presidio of Monterey in connection with the Pacific small arms competition, which was recently concluded. One of the best soldiers among the men, and fifth in order of marksmanship at the opening of the shoot, was Sergeant William H. Spree, of troop F, Fourteenth cavalry.

The rifle range at the presidio is cut through a pine forest, and Spree—who had taken up his position behind convenient cover—fired from it at the target at which his friend was supposed to be aiming. When the signal was given his friend fired wide, so as not to show any surplus bullet marks on the disk. On one occasion Spree withheld his fire too long and his shot rang out after the rest of the squad had ceased. This fact aroused the suspicion of the military authorities and an investigation was made. Spree was discovered, taken to the guardhouse, and his name struck from the rolls of competitors.

**ARCHBISHOP WHO MADE POPE LEO LAUGH.**

Archbishop Murphy, of Tasmania, the record prelate who has just entered on his ninety-third year, is a humorist, and the fact may account in some measure for his remarkable longevity. He was held in high esteem by the late Pope Leo XIII. There was a bond of affinity between them, as both received their mitres from Gregory XVI almost simultaneously. At the age of seventy-nine Dr. Murphy visited Rome, and at the close of a cordial audience Pope Leo remarked: "Well, my dear brother, I suppose this is our last meeting in this world." But five years later Dr. Murphy thought he would have one more run around the globe, and presented himself at the vatican as pert and smiling as of yore. He reminded Pope Leo of his pessimistic prophecy, and slyly added: "So you see you are not infallible after all." This is said to have been one of the few occasions on which Pope Leo laughed heartily.—London Daily Chronicle.

### Exchange Burial Honors.

Lippincott's tells of a dear old New England spinster, the embodiment of the timid and shrinking, who passed away at Carlsbad, where she had gone for her health. Her nearest kinsman, a nephew, ordered her body sent back to be buried—as was her last wish—in the quiet little country churchyard. His surprise can be imagined when, on opening the casket, he beheld, instead of the placid features of his aunt Mary, the majestic port of an English general in full regimentals, who he remembered had chanced to die at the same time and place as his aunt.

At once he cabled to the general's heirs explaining the situation and requesting instructions.

They came back as follows: "Give the general a quiet funeral. Aunt Mary interred today with full military honors, etc. Yours truly, saluting guns."

"You say this man stole your coat?" said the magistrate. "Do I understand that you prefer charges against him?" "No, yer honor," replied the complainant, "I prefer the coat, if it's all the same t' yer, sor."—Philadelphia Press.

### CAUSE OF WRECKS.

Poplar Bluff, Mo., Sept. 2.—Jasper Porter, roadmaster for the Iron Mountain railway until a few weeks ago, resigned his position, assigning as his reason the fact that the Iron Mountain system does not furnish enough material to keep its tracks in safe condition. This is the first fact which I learned when I began inquiries here, and I have substantiated it by the evidence of several of Poplar Bluff's best citizens who heard the reason from Porter's own lips.

Mr. Porter, who is a railroad man of efficiency and conscience, is now in the employ of a Texas railway which is said to think more of the safety of the traveling public than of dividends.

Poplar Bluff is indignant at the condition of the Iron Mountain tracks. Everywhere I turned in this metropolis of Southeastern Missouri I have heard indignant protests against the exceedingly dangerous condition into which the roadbed has been allowed to retrograde.

The tracks of the Iron Mountain both on the main line and the Cairo branch, which carries heavy traffic are unspeakably bad in a number of places. It might not be too strong an assertion to say that there are more ties in the main line which should be removed than there are which should be allowed to remain in the track. As to the main line, this seems to be particularly true in the neighborhood of Poplar Bluff.

They have averaged a wreck every other day on the Iron Mountain main line for the past few weeks. Once or twice it was open switches, but the rest of the wrecks were due to bad track. The railroad company has been suppressing news of the wrecks, but the local papers have succeeded in ascertaining part of the facts and have printed them.

One day a passenger engine running into a siding where the Cairo branch leaves the Poplar Bluff yards, went off the tracks. The cause, as usual, was "spreading track." The ties at this place, which I examined when it was pointed out to me by an eye witness to the accident were so rotten that they cannot be depended upon to hold spikes. The train was placed back upon the tracks and the track "repaired" under the direction of Porter. In a few minutes a Cairo branch freight came in. Its engine went off the track in the same place and the track was again repaired.

Here is the way the "repairs" were made: Wrenches and jacks were brought to bear upon the displaced rail. It was pushed back into position and a spike or two placed. Two blows from a sledge hammer drove each spike to the head in the spongy ties from which they had been pulled by the "spreading" rail. That was all. There were no new ties in the switch when I examined it. Shortly after this incident Porter resigned. He told a friend who witnessed the accident and repairs that the reason that he could not put the track in safe condition was that the Iron Mountain would not furnish the material. Porter's word is good with every man, woman, child and dog in Poplar Bluff. If it wasn't good there are other men who know the conditions.

I looked over the ties in the Poplar Bluff yards. Many of them were bad. In some places there were several in consecutive order which would not hold spikes under strain. Some of

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them were rotted so badly that there were practically no ties there.

These were near the three box cars which the Iron Mountain gives Poplar Bluff, a town of 19,000 and the most important commercial point in Southeast Missouri for a depot. Some new ties had been placed in the tracks just before the visit of the railroad commissioners. But there were not enough to put the tracks in good condition. The repair gangs were taken off just as soon as the commission had made its visit.

### A Buffalo Skeleton Found.

Le Sueur, Minn., Sept. 2.—Joe Iten, the marble man of Le Sueur, received from William Morgan, the ditch digger, a most interesting relic of the past.

Mr. Iten used to be the owner of the farm in the northeast quarter of section 2, Sharon township Le Sueur county, and on the farm was a tract of wet ground known as the "cranberry marsh." In this marsh, a some distance from the shore, was a place where the grass grew much taller and greener than elsewhere, and for fifty years this phenomenon had been accounted for by the farmers with the theory that in the old days a buffalo had been mired in the marsh at this point.

Mr. Iten never investigated to see whether the theory was true, but when Mr. Morgan set his great ditching plow into the marsh and drew a great ditch through it he turned this point so that it would run through the rich grass where the "buffalo was

mired" and, lo and behold, when the rich, black mold was turned, there came to the light with it the skeleton of a gigantic buffalo, the horns twenty-one inches across. Thinking that Mr. Iten would be pleased to have this relic from the old farm, Mr. Morgan brought it in and gave it to him.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

### Power of Money.

Gelett Burgess, at the recent dinner of the American Booksellers association in New York, said he thought that too many authors wrote for money purely.

"Hence," the creator of the Goop went on "the result is unpleasant. Anything done purely for money is bound to be unpleasant. There are bound to be involved in it all sorts of unpleasant things that, like weeds in a garden, keep continually cropping up."

"I once knew a San Franciscan who married a girl for her money. She was not a pretty girl, and as the time passed and love cooled, she developed a rather nasty tongue."

"One day her husband bought with his quarter's allowance a 26-horse power automobile. He took the car home gaily and brought his wife to the front door to look at it. She gave one sneering glance and then said:

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Notary Public.  
My commission expires January  
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## Daily Thought.

"Content gives charm to every cir-  
cumstance."

## THE REPUBLICAN TICKET.

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son, of Louisville.

For Lieutenant Governor—W. H.  
Cox, of Mason county.

For Attorney General—James  
Breathitt, of Christian county.

For Auditor—Frank P. James, of  
Mercer county.

For Treasurer—Capt. Edwin Far-  
ley, of McCracken county.

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L. Bruner, of Hart county.

For Superintendent of Public In-  
struction—J. S. Crabbe, of Boyd  
county.

For Commissioner of Agriculture  
—N. C. Rankin, of Henry county.

For Clerk of Court of Appeals—  
Napier Adams, of Pulaski county.

For Legislature—George O. Mc-  
Broom.

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City Attorney.....Arthur Y. Martin  
City Treasurer.....John J. Doran  
City Clerk.....George Lehman  
City Jailer.....George Andrech  
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Aldermen—T. C. Leech, Harry R.  
Hank, G. M. Oehlschlaeger, Jr., C.  
H. Chamblin, W. T. Miller.

Councilmen—Second ward, Al E.  
Young; Third ward, C. L. Van Me-  
ter; Fourth ward, F. S. Johnston;  
Fifth ward, S. A. Hill, Frank Mayer;  
Sixth ward, W. L. Bower.

School Trustees—First ward, W. M.  
Karnes; Second ward, W. J. Hill;  
Third ward, H. S. Wells and  
J. H. Garrison; Fourth ward,  
Dr. C. G. Warner and C. G. Kel-  
ly; Fifth ward, I. O. Walker;  
Sixth ward, J. C. Farley and Ed  
Morris.

## MR. HAGER.

What is a political party?

As an abstraction it might be a  
group of free citizens, unitedly sup-  
porting a certain principle of govern-  
ment; but in that sense, in which it  
is held responsible for the conduct of  
government, it is to all intents and  
purposes the officeholders elected on  
its ticket and the politicians, who  
control the party organization.

This question is suggested by the  
peroration of S. W. Hager, in his  
opening speech, in which he said:

"My party has behind it many de-  
cades of honorable dealings with my  
people, and before it many years of  
usefulness to the citizens of the com-  
monwealth. It has to its credit a long  
record of unbroken promises, and  
the history of the state teems with  
the wise and salutary influences of  
its principles and its policies. In the  
peace, quiet and happiness of her  
people, Kentucky ranks with the best  
of the American states. Old Glory, as  
it unfolds to the winds of heaven does  
not wave over a better people or a  
happier land. Nowhere under the  
stars of the blue canopy of God's  
eternal home are the people better  
governed, their interests better pro-  
tected.

"Then let the voters of the state be  
true to themselves and true to the  
interests of the state by continuing  
in power the Democratic party  
through whose policies the prosperity  
of the people will be best promoted.  
"Be it ours to see that the utmost

may be enjoyed, that wise and con-  
servative laws, properly administered  
and enforced, will insure."

Over against this declaration let  
us set the saying of Colonel Henry  
Watterson, the most famous editor in  
the United States, a Democrat of  
Democrats, writing in the greatest  
newspaper of the south: "Kentucky  
is the worst governed state in the  
union."

"It has the credit of a long record  
of unbroken promises," eh?

In the same papers that published  
this hifalutin peroration, there ap-  
pears in other columns a statement  
of Mayor Bingham, of Louisville, and  
all the other city and county offi-  
cers, declaring they are afraid to  
risk their ambitions in a primary con-  
ducted by a member of the Democrati-  
c state committee, and as to the re-  
cord, Mayor Bingham says:

"With the light of the past to  
guide us, with the knowledge of the  
past record and the present purpose  
of a majority of this committee, we  
see that we shall not be allowed fair  
play."

No use for the Democrats of the  
state to repudiate the Democracy of  
Louisville, for it is a part of the  
Democracy of the state, and the ac-  
tion of the Louisville committee has  
met with the sanction of H. H. Hines,  
chairman of the state executive com-  
mittee of the party, and S. W. Ha-  
ger, candidate for governor. If Ha-  
ger repudiates the action of the  
Louisville machine in giving Bingham  
the worst of the deal and support-  
ing Owen Tyler, whose political  
career has been bound up in that of  
the Barth administration, he will say  
so—and he dares not.

The best governed state!

Months have elapsed since a body  
of horsemen from a neighboring  
county rode into Princeton, terrorized  
the people, took possession of the  
railroad, the telephones and tele-  
graph, locked up the fire department  
and burned thousands of dollars  
worth of property, and no one has  
been convicted or punished for the  
high-handed outrage, although the  
state administration has a high salaried  
fire marshal to look after just  
such affairs.

This affair, following close on the  
heels of the assassinations in Breath-  
itt county, where a member of the  
Democratic state committee, was  
murdered in the civil court for \$8,000  
damages for the murder of a citizen,  
and was cleared in criminal court by  
a judge especially appointed by the  
state administration to try the case,  
has made Kentucky a by-word in the  
mouths of the people of the union.

"In the peace, quiet and happiness  
of her people Kentucky ranks with  
the best of the American states," Aye,  
and the fact that her people are  
peaceable and quiet and lawabiding,  
makes more hideous the fact, that  
such outrages and assassinations are  
allowed to go unpunished within her  
borders, bringing disgrace on a chiv-  
alrous, high-minded people.

## NO PRIMARY FOR BINGHAM.

While opinions will differ as to the  
wisdom of Mayor Bingham's action in  
withdrawing from the primary con-  
test under the existing rules, some  
thinking it would have been more  
courageous and more in keeping  
with his pose as a reformer to  
have given battle, and gone down, if  
defeated, with colors flying, there is  
satisfaction in the fact that it has  
been made clear who is responsible  
for forcing upon this city a candidate  
of the old regime, with the promise  
of a similarly tainted ticket.

The primary to which Mayor Bingham  
objects in a detailed criticism  
and with undoubted reason was con-  
trived under the inspiration of  
Messrs. Hager and Hines. Whatever  
opposition they met from Gov. Beck-  
ham was overcome; his great eager-  
ness for a senatorial making him  
more than usually complacent. Thus  
the mayor found himself betrayed by  
Hager and deserted by Beckham.

That this is the true situation is  
borne out by a paragraph in the Cin-  
cinnati Enquirer, following the an-  
nouncement of Owen Tyler's candi-  
dacy, in which it was stated that Mr.  
Tyler is Hager's choice, and that his  
willingness to run gave great satisfac-  
tion to the state ticket.

This is illuminating. It throws a  
flood of light upon the campaign in  
the state. It is just as well the pub-  
lic should know thus early that Ha-  
ger and his associates are so utterly  
opposed to any attempt at clean gov-  
ernment that they prefer to see the  
old, discredited machine back in power  
in Louisville to even allowing a  
Democratic reformer a chance to  
make good. When the part that  
the leader of the Democratic state ticket  
has played in this conspiracy becomes  
known throughout Kentucky, as it  
will before many days are over, it  
will sound the death knell to the last  
hope of Democratic success. We are  
glad that if perjury must be charged,  
the charge does not rest against  
Mayor Bingham, who has kept faith  
with his supporters, but against the  
man who wants to succeed Beckham  
as Boss of the state.—Louisville Her-  
ald.

If you don't believe the world is  
daily growing worse, ask the oldest  
inhabitant.

## TRY U. S. AMUSEMENTS ABROAD.

L. A. Thompson Scenic Railway Com-  
pany to Build Scenic Railways.

New York, Sept. 2.—The success  
of the scenic railway built this spring  
at Blackpool, England, by a New  
York Company has excited consid-  
erable interest among those interested  
in catering to the English people in  
the matter of summer amusements.  
To such an extent was interest  
aroused that a party of influential  
English capitalists instructed a man  
to visit the United States and, after a  
thorough investigation, to decide up-  
on the most popular and profitable  
American riding devices.

J. H. Miles, of London, has been  
here, and as the result of his investi-  
gations he lately signed contracts  
with the L. A. Thompson Scenic  
Railway company of New York to  
build and operate Thompson scenic  
railways and other riding devices in  
various parts of Great Britain and  
the continent of Europe.

A company has just been formed  
in England, all the stock of which  
was purchased privately and without  
being placed upon the market. The  
head office of the company, which is  
known as the L. A. Thompson Scenic  
Railway Company of England, is at  
210 Strand, London W. C., and John  
H. Miles is its general manager.

The English company has pur-  
chased from the New York Thompson  
Scenic Railway company all of their  
English interests, including the  
Blackpool plant, and will immediately  
proceed to construct and operate  
scenic railways and other American  
riding devices in all of the large cit-  
ies and seaside resorts throughout  
England and the continent. Plants  
will be built this fall and winter at  
Manchester, Leeds, Great Yarmouth,  
Brighton and probably three other  
points, for which negotiations now  
are in progress.

## Dark Tobacco Election.

Elections will be held Saturday  
by the Dark Tobacco Growers' associa-  
tion of McCracken county for the  
purpose of electing committeemen  
from each precinct. Saturday, Sep-  
tember 14, the committee will meet  
in Paducah to effect reorganization.  
This year the association has done  
exceedingly well, selling at prices  
greatly in advance of the previous  
year.

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keeps your whole insides right. Sold on the  
money-back plan everywhere. Price 50 cents.

## Says She Was Not of Age.

Rosa Stanton filed suit against  
Fred Stanton this morning in circuit  
court for annulment of her marriage.  
She asks that her maiden name of  
Rosa Ceason be restored. She alleges  
that in Hickman county on October  
5, 1906, her husband by misrepresenta-  
tion secured a marriage license, al-  
leging she was 21 years of age, when  
in reality she was but 15 years old.  
Later he is alleged to have abandon-  
ed her.

## A Kind Word.

"So you don't share the general in-  
dignation toward the railways?"  
"No," answered Farmer Corntoe-  
sel, "I have always felt that a loco-  
motive was entitled to a great deal  
of credit for sticking to the track in-  
stead of snorting up and down the  
country roads like an automobile."  
Washington Star.

Underwear Reductions  
At the New Store

Our better grade underwear,  
too, is now being included in  
the tremendous sacrifice which  
we are making to "clean  
stocks" during this semi-an-  
nual clearance sale. The vari-  
ety and extent of our under-  
wear display is a matter of  
especial pride with us. Good  
values at any time; good  
enough to lay away at these  
prices

Men's \$2.00 Fancy Lisle and Bal-  
briggan Underwear, suit.....\$1.50  
Men's \$2.50 Fancy Lisle and Bal-  
briggan Underwear, suit.....\$2.00  
Men's \$3.00 Fancy Lisle and Bal-  
briggan Underwear, suit.....\$2.40  
Men's \$4.00 Fancy Lisle and Bal-  
briggan Underwear, suit.....\$3.20  
Men's \$4.50 Fancy Lisle and Bal-  
briggan Underwear, suit.....\$3.60  
Men's \$5.00 Fancy Lisle and Bal-  
briggan Underwear, suit.....\$4.00

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WANT FAIR PLAY  
IN THE PRIMARY

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tee, we discovered with surprise and  
just indignation that five of the most  
important of these written articles  
were radically changed. It was plain  
from the changes that we were not  
to be given fair play in the primary,  
and that the committee, by claiming  
the power to choose all the aldermen  
and councilmen, were determined to  
hold absolute control over the gen-  
eral council and thus be able, for  
the next two years, to dominate and  
enslave the mayor or to balk him in  
every important public movement.

## Independents Shut Out.

Section four of these articles pro-  
vided that all registered persons not  
registered as Republicans who would  
support the Democratic ticket should  
have the right to vote in the primary.  
This gave "Independents" who wish-  
ed to affiliate with the Democratic  
party in the November election a  
chance to vote. The Democratic com-  
mittee, to shut out all "Independ-  
ents" and thus deprive the Demo-  
cratic party of their final support,  
provided in the rules, first, that their  
names should not be copied in the  
registration books for the use of the  
officers of the primary and, secondly,  
that they must take an oath before  
the election officers to the effect that  
they would "support the entire,  
straight Democratic ticket, state,  
county and municipal, etc." Later  
the committee omitted the oath, but  
required every such voter "to state  
and pledge" that he would do this.  
This would be, of course, as obnox-  
ious as an oath to self-respecting,  
conscientious Independents, however  
much they wished to affiliate with  
the Democratic party in November,  
and would force them into the ranks  
of the opposition.

Section 9 provided that a commit-  
tee of three, one of whom should be  
Judge James P. Gregory and two of  
whom should be selected by "leading  
candidates," should be authorized to  
strike out of the registration list the  
name of every person who had been  
therefore fraudulent registered;  
and "their decision to be final." In  
the rules adopted by the committee  
this was changed and it was pro-  
vided that the action of this commit-  
tee was changed, and it was pro-  
vided that the Democratic city and  
county executive committee of  
Jefferson county. Thus the com-  
mittee reserved the right to nullify  
the acts of the commission. In the  
amended rules the committee simply  
said, in substance, that it was the  
sense of the committee that the ac-  
tion of the commission be approved.  
This gave the committee still a chance  
to overrule the commission.

## Commission Had No Authority in Court.

In the tenth article it was provided  
that the commission "selected to  
purge registration should meet with  
the local committee and assist in re-  
ceiving and tabulating returns" of  
the primary election. This evidently  
meant that the commission should  
take part in the count to see that all  
was fair. In the rules adopted by  
the local committee it is simply said  
that the commission to purge the  
registration "is requested to be pre-  
sent with the Democratic city and  
county executive committee when the  
returns are received and tabulated." They  
were to be idle and helpless  
spectators.

## Committee Retained Control of Council.

In the eleventh article it was pro-  
vided that the committee should not  
have the power to choose all the al-  
dermen and councilmen, in the rules  
adopted by the committee they claim-  
ed the power to name all the alder-  
men and councilmen and so reserved  
to themselves the power to control  
the general council through men of  
their own selection and thus to con-  
trol or obstruct the mayor in the per-  
formance of his duty to the people  
throughout his whole term of office.

## As to Voting Places.

In the twelfth article it was pro-  
vided (as the statute provides) that  
the voting places should be specified  
in the call for the primary, and  
should not be changed or moved ex-  
cept as now provided by law. The  
selection or removal of voting places  
is as well known, is often used to  
promote corruption and fraud. In  
the call for the primary the commit-  
tee did not name the voting place.  
They have since been named, but  
were really selected by men who lost  
their offices and are bitterly opposed  
to us.

Under the statute, as the court of  
appeals has decided, there could be  
no appeal to the state central com-  
mittee or any other committee, from  
the decision of the local committee,  
if there should be a contest as to the  
result of the primary. In other  
words, if frauds against us should be  
perpetrated, or if the count should  
be unfair to us, we should have no  
remedy. Our right would be passed  
on by a committee, a majority of

whom are declared enemies, and who  
could not be expected to do us jus-  
tice.

## Arbitrary Limit as to Time of Announcing.

The committee has ordered candi-  
dates wishing to enter the primary  
to enter on or before September 1.  
Although the statute plainly says, as  
held by the court of appeals in Egan  
vs. Gerwe 112, Kentucky 232 (De-  
cember, 1901), that "any candidate  
has a right to have his name placed  
upon the ballot not later than fif-  
teen next preceding the holding of a  
primary election." The primary has  
been called for September 24; hence  
the time for entry does not expire  
until September 9.

After we discovered, by the action  
of the committee, that fair play would  
not be given us; after we had made  
repeated efforts to get the commit-  
tee to keep the terms offered us  
through Mr. Hines, we then offered  
to submit to the rules published, pro-  
vided the committee would allow a  
commission of three or five Demo-  
crats of high standing and well known  
integrity to have control of the pri-  
mary. This final offer the commit-  
tee has rejected.

## No Hope of Fair Play.

From this candid statement the  
public must see that we have done  
everything possible to come to any  
reasonable terms with the committee.  
We have wanted to do nothing to  
injure the Democratic party. We  
have wanted to be its standard-bear-  
ers if we could do so under honor-  
able conditions, but, with the light of  
the past to guide us, with a knowl-  
edge of the past record and the pres-  
ent purpose of a majority of this  
committee, we see that we shall not  
be allowed fair play, but shall be  
treated unjustly wherever possible  
and therefore we decline to enter a  
contest under such unfair and un-  
reasonable conditions. We hope that  
the Democratic party may suffer no  
harm in the coming election and may  
triumph for the sake of its prin-  
ciples, but, if defeat or disaster shall  
come, it will come because of the re-  
fusal of Mr. John W. Creeland, the  
member of the state central commit-  
tee from this district, and a majority  
of the Democratic city and county  
executive committee to give us a  
clean, fair race, and to give the  
Democrats of this city and county a  
fair chance to express their choice  
and have their will obeyed.

The wrong intended for us is of  
little consequence to the public; but  
the wrong intended for the Demo-  
cratic party is of great consequence.  
Every Democratic voter has a right  
to a fair primary without a taint or  
suspicion of fraud, and his right is  
evidently to be denied.

R. W. BINGHAM, Mayor.

WALTER P. LINCOLN, Judge.

## Infant Baptized.

A most enjoyable time was spent  
Sunday at the pretty home of Mr.  
and Mrs. Fred Schmidt, on the May-  
field road in honor of the baptism of  
their infant daughter Claribel Fred-  
erica, nee Rev. Mr. Grother, of the  
Lutheran church, officiating. About  
40 guests enjoyed their generous hos-  
pitality.

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MRS. MARY QUISENBERRY  
DIED THIS MORNINGMiss Sue Temple Dies in  
Riverside After an Opera-  
tion—Infant Dies.

Mrs. Mary Quisenberry, 37 years  
old, wife of S. G. Quisenberry, died  
this morning at 1:30 o'clock of con-  
sumption at her home, 1116 Broad-  
way, after a lingering illness. Besides  
her husband she is survived by three  
children, her mother, Mrs. F. W.  
Thomas and her brother, J. V. Thom-  
as. Mrs. Quisenberry, who was a de-  
vout Christian woman and a loving  
wife and mother, was a native of Dy-  
ersburg, where she was born Novem-  
ber 16, 1875, the daughter of Mr.  
and Mrs. F. W. Thomas. She was  
married to Mr. Quisenberry at that  
place December 15, 1896. The funeral  
will take place tomorrow afternoon  
at 3 o'clock at the residence, the Rev.  
W. E. Cave, officiating. The burial  
will be at Dyersburg.

## Miss Sue Temple.

Miss Sue P. Temple, sister of Mrs.  
C. H. Brothers, died last night in  
Riverside hospital following an opera-  
tion. The funeral will be held this  
afternoon at 5 o'clock at the resi-  
dence of Dr. Brothers, 524 North  
Eighth street. The burial will be in  
Oak Grove cemetery. Miss Temple's  
father was J. M. Temple, one of the  
oldest residents in the county.

## Infant Dies of Measles.

The eight-months-old infant son  
of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore, of  
700 North Sixteenth street, died yester-  
day afternoon of measles and the  
funeral will be held this afternoon,  
burial in Mt. Pleasant cemetery.

## Pete Caldwell Arrested.

Pete Caldwell, colored, who has  
been a fugitive from Paducah for  
several days, was arrested Saturday  
in St. Louis and is being held for ex-  
tradition. He is alleged to have broken  
into Pierce's grocery store, Ninth  
and Boyd streets. Patrolmen Fergu-  
son and Prince saw Caldwell in the  
vicinity of the grocery soon after the  
robbery, but he made his escape.

## Threw Brick Through Car.

Harry Smith, colored, charged  
with hurling a brick through a Row-  
landtown street car Saturday night  
near the Rowlandtown park, was ar-  
rested yesterday morning by Patrol-  
men Ferguson and Prince and will  
be given a trial tomorrow morning in  
police court.

## Charged With Grave Crime.

Alex Brady, colored, alias Grady,  
was arrested yesterday morning by  
Patrolmen Heslan and Wood charged  
with housebreaking and obtaining  
money by false pretenses. He is al-  
leged to have broken into the Row-  
landtown colored park last Thursday  
and stolen a 38 caliber Colt's pistol  
which he later disposed of to Ben  
Michael, the pawn broker for \$2.50,  
alleging it to be his pistol.

## Reflections of a Bachelor.

A man is awfully ashamed of his  
boy for fighting—if he gets licked.  
The less a woman has to say the  
longer she can make it into a letter.  
A woman would like to get tele-  
grams if she knew what was in them  
before she had to open them.

The reason a man can work so hard  
around his own house is nobody is  
paying him for something he ought  
to earn.

People can be good if they don't  
know what fun is.

A girl will never let you kiss her  
except when she says she won't.

One reason a girl doesn't like au-  
tomobile riding so much is a man  
can't run it all the time with one arm.

A woman waits for a man to pro-  
pose, but after they are married she  
waits a good deal more for him to  
come home nights.

What's the use of having family  
arguments when you can get almost  
as much noise by going to Niagara  
Falls without working so hard?

Lots of people are sane except  
when they are engaged.

It takes a girl to pretend she  
doesn't know how to pretend.

Automobiles save lots of money  
for a man by not owning them.

A woman calls it being frank  
when she will admit what she has to.

A man gets used to being married  
the way he does to an old pair of  
shoes.—New York Press.

## Napoleon's Decline.

There is no doubt Napoleon fell  
through the sheer dizziness of the  
height he had climbed to. "The Duc  
de Raguse," says the Comtesse de  
Boigne, "once explained to me the  
nature of his connection with the em-  
peror in a phrase which is more or  
less applicable to the whole nation.  
When Napoleon said, 'All for  
France,' I served with enthusiasm.  
When he said, 'France and I,' I  
served with zeal. When he said, 'I  
and France,' I served with obedience.  
When he said, 'I' without France, I  
felt the necessity of paying from him."

A man isn't necessarily bald be-  
cause he has no hair.

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## LOCAL NEWS

—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.  
—Dr. Hoyer residence phone 464; office 175.  
—Dr. Gilbert, osteopath, 400 1/2 Broadway. Phone 196.  
—Chief of Police James Collins reports 205 arrests for the month of August, eight less than July.

—City subscribers to the Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make the requests direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to carriers. Sun Publishing Co.

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—Farley & Fisher, veterinarians, 427 S. Third. Old phone 1345; new phone 351.

—Have The Sun mailed to you or any of your friends going away for the summer. The address will be changed as often as desired, and the rate is only 25c a month.  
—Hotel Belvedere Cafe, John Burns, steward. Soft shell crabs, frogs and all the seasonable delicacies.

—Perpetual green lawn grass seed just received. Branson's, 529 Broadway.

—Dr. J. W. T. Patterson, of 495 North Twelfth street, announces that in future he may be reached by new phones 661 or 1500 instead of old phones 1161-m or 2099.

—Place your orders for wedding invitations at home. The Sun is showing as great an assortment as you will find anywhere, at prices much lower than you will have to pay elsewhere.

—Best and cheapest. We rent buggies, carriages and horses separately. Both phones 100. Copeland's Stable, 419 Jefferson street.

—Mrs. Dorian's private school will open Monday, September 9. Complete literary and commercial courses Call or address 503 South Fourth street. Old phone 1478.

—J. P. Holt was this morning appointed a deputy county clerk.

—Mr. J. Wes Troutman, county assessor, has disposed of his barber shop at 107 South Third street, to Mr. J. M. Faulkner, his foreman, and has purchased A. Yopp's grocery at Twelfth and Jackson streets. Both changes are effective today.

### CORONER'S JURY GIVES VERDICT

Charges Traction Company With Employing Incompetent Men.

Charleston, Ill., Sept. 2.—Following the verdict of the coroner's jury charging them with criminal negligence, which resulted in the death of fourteen persons in the interurban collision Friday, Motormen Ben F. McClara and Charles Botts were arrested today. Each was released on \$3,000 bond. They will be tried later. The jury charged the Central Illinois Traction company with employing incompetent men.

### School Book Lists.

Now ready at D. E. Wilson's, the Book and Music man.

### The Grant Mint Patch.

The Honorable Jesse Grant visited the old Grant homestead near St. Louis Monday and recognized an old patch of mint down by the spring. That fact alone will endear him to many thousands of voters in the event that he decides to announce for the presidency. There is a human touch in the candidate who can, and will, recognize a mint patch. Some candidates wouldn't recognize one if they saw it, and others wouldn't dare to, even if they could.  
—St. Louis Republic.

Miss Antique—Do you think one gets too old to marry?

Old Batch—No; but they lose the faculty of picking a winner.—Brooklyn Eagle.

## PEOPLE AND SOCIAL EVENTS

Mrs. Harry W. Gleaves and children have returned from a several weeks' visit to Mrs. Gleaves' parents at Whiteville, Tenn.

Misses Clara Petter and Freda Dunbar, of Paducah, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schmidt, on the Mayfield road.

Miss Minnie Childress, of Dallas, Texas, will be the guest of Mrs. Clara Burnett at the home of her father, Mr. W. H. Riecke.

Mrs. Phillip Rogers, of Twelfth and Broadway, has returned from a visit in Illinois.

L. B. Ogilvie has returned from an extended eastern trip.

Mrs. James Wahl and sons, of New Orleans, are visiting the family of Mrs. Henry Nagel, 524 North Fourth street.

Captain James Lemon, of the Mayfield Messenger, is in Paducah today. Mr. Bob Caldwell, formerly of Paducah but now of Fulton, is in the city.

Mr. W. R. Duke, the well known Illinois Central machinist, and wife and mother, Mrs. Lullia Duke, have gone to Little Rock, Ark., to visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lehrer went to Dawson Springs today for a week's stay.

Mrs. J. C. Dunsor is seriously ill at her home, 722 South Fifth street.

### Sees Hope for Farmers.

It is generally known that the president will incorporate the following statements in his forthcoming message and urge legislation for the benefit of farmers:

The government should promote closer co-operation between federal and state departments of agriculture. The standard of living among farmers is steadily rising.

The farmer today is a traveler. He has a telephone, daily mail, and his newspaper.

The life of the farm family must be made less solitary, fuller of opportunity, freer from drudgery, happier and more attractive.

The economic growth of agriculture has added to it new dignity and there is less desire than formerly to seek social diversions of the city. There should be co-operation between farmers in the matter of marketing their products.

### DENTIST BEATEN BY PATIENT.

Under Influence of Gas—Doctor's Assistant to Rescue.

Washington, Sept. 2.—While under the influence of gas today preparatory to having a tooth extracted, George W. Bowers, aged 28, rose from the chair and violently attacked Dr. R. B. Lenord, knocking the dentist down and severely beating him. Hearing the dentist's cries for help, Dr. W. H. Wunder ran to his assistance and seizing a small hammer used it on Bower's head, causing a fracture of the skull. Bowers was taken to the Emergency hospital and Wunder was arrested, but later released on \$1,000 bail. Bowers will recover.

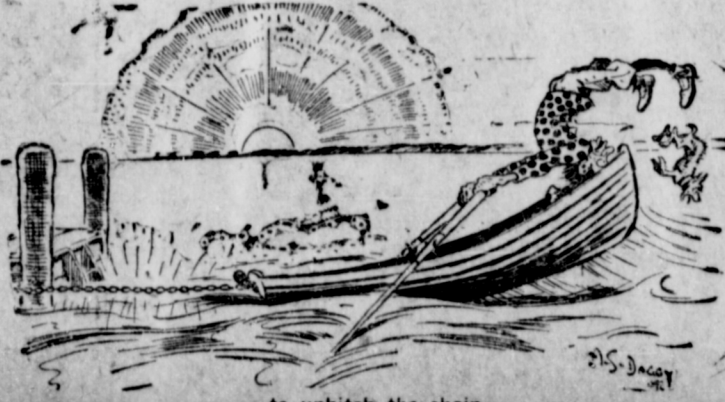
### REACTION.



The absentminded oarsman—



who forgot—



to unhitch the chain.

## SUPT. HILLS SHOWS HIS CONSIDERATION

In order that they might go to church or have at least one Sunday a month to observe, the N. C. & St. L. has inaugurated a vacation move effective at once, and yesterday Dr. Frank Hoover, chief dispatcher of the N. C. & St. L., spent his first Sunday's vacation in Yuma, Tenn. Each Sunday dispatchers will alternate in taking a Sunday off. Incidentally it is stated that it was the first Sunday Mr. Hoover has had off in ten years of hard service at the key.

### Charged With Serious Cutting.

Louis Vaughan, 22 years old, was arrested Saturday night charged with malicious cutting with intent to kill. He is alleged to have stabbed Harrison Coley, an 18-year-old boy, in the neck with a knife at the corner of Mewers and Farley streets, Mechanicsburg. The two are coopers, and have worked side by side for months. An argument terminated in Vaughan making a lunge at Coley. At Dr. J. S. Troutman's office policemen found the injured youth, who claimed at first that he stumbled and jabbed a tobacco stub through his neck. Later he preferred charges against Vaughan.

### Tonight.

This being Labor Day and no attractions in the city, why not attend the big free medicine show tonight at Eighth and Tennessee street.

### A Few "Wanted's."

Wanted—A young man to take care of a pair of mules of a christian disposition.

Wanted—Two apprentices who will be treated as one of the family.

Wanted—Experienced nurse for bottled baby.

Wanted—An industrious man to take charge of 3,000 sheep who can speak German.—Humor Bulls and Blunders.

### AUTOMOBILE FLIRTATION.

Skidding on one wheel—I am crazy.

Full speed ahead—I'm after you.

Seventeen short honks—I love you.

Seventeen long honks—I am a nuisance.

Smashing into coal cart—My father has money.

Smashing into elderly gentleman—I am a wag.

Brought to a sudden halt—I am pinched.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

### County Has 245 Divorces.

Beaumont, Tex., Aug. 28.—The federal employees of the census department who have been gathering statistics of divorces in this county found there had been 1245 divorces filed since 1887. Two hundred and eleven were dismissed or withdrawn or refused, and 175 are still pending, four hundred and twenty-three were based on cruelty, 198 on desertion, 150 on adultery, 11 for non-support, eight for felony and others for scattering causes. There were 1059 marriages in the twenty years covered.

### Origin of "The Dickens."

"Oh, go to the dickens!" "What the dickens you got ter do with it!" and similar remarks including "dickens" are classed among cursory expressions—or cuss words. Modest, well-mannered women who have not mingled with the world too recklessly are content with "plague take it" and "confound it," but a real, old-fashioned, vigorous "damn" is common enough nowadays among those of the fair sex who know a thing or two and are somewhat advanced. It is the most singular that the explosive "dickens" is almost universally associated with Charles Dickens; and I have often seen it capitalized by the ignorant in honor of the renowned author.

Shakespeare wrote "The Merry Wives of Windsor" in 1600—about two and a half centuries before the author of "Mr. Pickwick" became a world celebrity; and in that comedy Mrs. Page is made to remark: "I can not tell what the dickens his name is." The word "dickens" means the "deuce." "Go to the deuce" is as common as "Go to the dickens." And it may please all the Dickenss, Dickenss, Dickinsons, Dickinsons, Dickenss, Dickenss, etc., to know that their names are derived from the original little bit of profanity used by grand ladies in the court of Elizabeth, and by Good Queen Bess herself, the equivalent of "the deuce"—that is, "the dickens."—New York Press.

## Fall Races

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## IN THE COURTS

### In Circuit Court.

Paul Jones & company against H. W. Ellis, et al., for \$123, alleged balance on a bill of goods.

### No Police Court Today.

Because of Labor Day no police court was held this morning. The arrests since Saturday night have been comparatively few, but are all for felonies, promising an interesting Tuesday morning docket.

### Marriage Licenses.

E. E. Tanner to E. E. Emery.

### Progress in Radio-Telegraphy.

Within the last few days three improvements in wireless telegraphy have been reported. Rumor has it that Mr. Marconi has discovered a way to obviate the paralyzing influence of daylight on Hertz waves. Prof. Fessenden, an American electrician of high standing, announces in The Electrician (London) that he has accomplished the same result, possibly by other means. Finally, Sir Oliver Lodge describes a method of generating electro-magnetic waves which facilitates tuning and which diminishes the chance that messages will interfere with one another.

After Mr. Marconi's first notable successes had directed the attention of other inventors to the possibilities of Hertz wave telegraphy the chief advances made for a time related largely to the sensitiveness of receivers. Mr. Marconi himself devised two or three instruments which were superior to the coherer employed in his earlier work, and his rivals made notable additions to the number of original and otherwise meritorious devices of that class. Of late experiment has taken other directions, its aim being to correct deficiencies and to avert difficulties which were not foreseen at the outset. Though the time has not yet arrived for estimating the value of this recent work or of the method of generating waves which constitutes the novel feature of the Poulsen system, it is apparent that the last two or three years have not been utterly wasted.

The world can determine whether or not substantial progress has been achieved in radio-telegraphy only after public demonstrations of it have been made. The only safe foundation for judgment is established fact, frankly revealed. Nevertheless, the modest tone in which the most capable workers in this field of experiment speak of their achievements is an encouraging sign. To disinterested outsiders it affords a better assurance of ultimate triumph than voluble predictions would give.  
—New York Tribune.

### Went Against the Grain.

The young woman in the grandstand demurred.

"A few moments ago," she said, "you remarked that these two clubs split even in their last two games. Just now you observed that it was an even break. The two statements are irreconcilable. If it is a split it can not be a break."

"You've got the deadwood on me," gasped the young man, mentally resolving to reconstruct his baseball vocabulary before springing it on a Boston girl again.

### Waste and Waist.

"Do you utilize the waste product in your business, sir?"

"Oh, yes. We make corsets."

"John?"

"Yes, sir."

"Be sure to tell me when it is 4 o'clock."

"Yes, sir."

"Don't forget it, I promised to meet my wife at 2:50 in the drug store across the street, and she'll be provoked if I'm not there when she comes."—Judge.

### TAX PAYERS' NOTICE.

Paducah, Ky., Sept. 1, 1907.  
You are hereby notified that all persons owning or having in their possession, or under their control as agent, guardian or committee, executor, administrator, curator, trustee, receiver, commissioner or otherwise, realty, tangible or intangible personal property, on the 15th day of September, are required on or before the 1st day of October to give the assessor a true and complete list of same, with true cash value thereof, as of the 15th day of September, under oath, upon forms to be furnished on application by said assessor at his office, and that all merchants of the city doing business for themselves or others, shall in a like manner and in addition thereto, state the highest amount in value of goods, wares and merchandise, owned and kept on hand for sale by said merchants, during the three months next preceding such 15th day of September.

Prompt attention to this will save property owners additional cost.

STEWART DICK, Assessor.  
Office, Room 2, City Hall.

Approved: D. A. Yeiser, Mayor.

## HEALTH MEANS STRENGTH

Strength Brings Results

At this season of the year the Horse, Cow, Sheep, Hog and Hen are weak from their efforts during spring and long, hot summer days.

## Vitality Gone

The Animals and Fowls can't produce profitably. They must have help.

## B. A. Thomas'

Stock and Poultry Food will bring perfect health and full strength to all animals and the hens through the molt in fine condition for heavy winter laying.

## The Hog Powder

Will positively cure and prevent hog cholera and make healthy, heavy porkers. Satisfaction guaranteed if given in time.

Hart Sells These Remedies at Factory Prices

**GEO. O. HART & SONS CO.**

Incorporated.

## WANT ADS.

Subscribers inserting want ads in The Sun will kindly remember that all such items are to be paid for when the ad is inserted, the rule applying to every one without exception.

FOR KINDLING wood ring 2361.

MITCHELLS for high-grade bicycles, 326-328 South Third street.

FOR heating and stove wood ring 437 E. Levin.

COOK WANTED—For family of three. Phone Mrs. Moequot, 1293.

FOR SALE—A walnut bookcase, Apply 1104 Jefferson street.

FOR SALE—Fine fish, globe and pedestal, with fish, 113 S. Second.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Driver or work horse. Can be seen at Copeland's stable, 419 Jefferson street.

FOR RENT—Apartment in 603 North Sixth street. George Rawleigh.

FOR DRY WOOD, old phone 2361.

WANTED—Salesladies. Apply to F. M. Kirby & Co.

W. D. BROWN Concrete Contractor. Ornamental and waterproof work a specialty. Phone 2820.

FOR HICKORY stove wood and sawdust telephone Robert Smith New Phone 763.

CLOTHES cleaned and pressed. All work guaranteed. Solomon, The Tailor, 113 South Third street. Phone 1016-a.

FOR SALE—Tents desirable for campers' or fishers' outfit; call at medicine show corner Eighth and Tennessee.

\$10.00 REWARD for a high-headed black mule, 16 hands high, scar on hip from kick. Address A. O. Gerard, Holloway, Ky.

WHEN BUYING HARNESS, Saddles or repair at the Paducah Harness and Saddle Co., you are getting the best. 204 Kentucky avenue.

FOR RENT OR SALE—Eleven room house on South Sixth street between Clark and Washington. Newly painted and in good condition. Apply to H. A. Petter.

FOR RENT—Two six room cottages 502 and 506 North Seventh street. All modern conveniences. Furnished if desired. Phone 2368.

AFTER FRIDAY, August 30, you can get Ham, Cheese, Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal and Hamburger sandwiches at 111 1-2 South Third street.

FOR SALE—Pony and buggy, either separately or together. Apply to S. A. Hill, at Sun office, or telephone 964.

LOST—Child's small gold bracelet on car or at Wallace park. Finder please return to this office and receive reward.

A PRIVATE family in the West End will accept two or three desirable people for meals after September 15. Address X, care The Sun.

WANTED—Board and rooms for bottle blowers, in vicinity of Glass Factory. Inquire Paducah Glass company.

CLEANING AND PRESSING neatly done. Satisfaction guaranteed. Work called for and delivered. One trial is all I ask. James Duffy, South Ninth street, near Broadway. Phone 462-a.

HYMAN, the veteran shirt man, is coming. Save your orders.

SAM L. HYMAN has 39 years' experience in shirt making.

HYMAN is the best man to order shirts from, as he can fit U.

FOR SALE—Piano cheap. Apply to 123 N. Sixth. Old phone, 1751.

WANTED—Manager for branch office we contemplate opening here in office we contemplate opening here in The Morris Wholesale House, Cincinnati, O.

FOR SALE—Six horse power Fairbanks Morse gasoline engine. Good condition, will sell cheap. Apply to S. E. Mitchell, 326 South Third street.

An Effective Imitation.

A boy who operates an elevator in one of the local department stores runs his car right up to the speed limit. The other day he noticed a woman standing near the elevator shaft, but as she neither pressed the button nor called to him he whizzed by. When he came up again she was still there. As he came up once more he noticed that the patient woman hadn't moved, and then he called to her:

"If you want to, stop the car, ma'am," he shouted, "make a noise, like a button—make a noise like a button."

More Nature Faking.

His Wife—"George, I heard you and Mr. Fullup talking about a 'chaser' a little while ago. A chaser is an animal of some kind, isn't it?"

Mr. Drysome—"Yes; it's a kind of—er—water animal."

SOUND LOGIC.

August and September are two months when one has to be very careful about every condition that makes for good, or bad health. The system is usually beginning to feel the strain of the hot summer months and the different organs need but very little to throw them into complete disorder and result in probably a fatal illness.

Good health is assured however if you heed nature's gentle warnings, and are in any measure discreet.

The usual summer disorders—malaria, general worn-out, and run-down, conditions, biliousness, stomach and bowel disorders of all kinds, chronic or acute headaches yield readily, and very quickly, to the Osteopathic treatment, and have no attending ill effects. Usually you are as ill from the customary medical prescriptions as from the illness, but, in Osteopathy you experience none of this. Let me tell you at any time of the great success I am having with the treatment in Paducah. I shall refer you to people you know well for the evidence, and who will tell you just what it has done for them.

DR. G. G. FROAGE,

516 Broadway, Upstairs. Phone 1496.

### C. E. KIDD & O. R. KIDD

Physicians and Surgeons

Office 609 Broadway.

Both Phones

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Office Columbia Building.

With Dr. J. Q. Taylor.

Phones—Residence, Palmer House

Office. Both phones 47.

Hours—10 to 12; 4:30 to 5:30; 7 to 8; Sunday, 10 to 12.



# Woman's Nightmare

The critical ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass, however, is so fraught with dread, pain, suffering and danger, that the very thought of it fills her with apprehension and horror. There is no necessity for the reproduction of life to be either painful or dangerous. The use of **Mother's Friend** so prepares the system for the coming event that it is safely passed without any danger. This great and wonderful remedy is always applied externally, and has carried thousands of women through the trying crisis without suffering.

Send for free book containing information of precise value to all expectant mothers. The Bradford Regulator Co., Atlanta, Ga.

## Mother's Friend

### BOY FALLS THROUGH AIR SHAFT

Little Bonnie Weiner Turns Somersault Into the Cellar—Not Seriously Hurt.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Sept. 2.—Bonnie Weiner, 8 years old, who lives in the five-story tenement house at 17 Monroe street, fell five stories through the air shaft, turned a couple of somersaults on the way down, and sustained no injury save slight contusions about his face and head. Bonnie climbed the step-ladder through the skylight to peek air on the roof and got out of the crowd of children and pushcarts. He played about the roof for almost an hour.

Each time Bonnie passed the opening leading from the air shaft he found a welcome breeze flowing through it. Growing tired from his play, the little fellow went over and sat down on the edge of the air shaft opening. Something in the cellar below made Bonnie turn quickly. He lost his balance and fell headforemost through the shaft. His little body turned completely over. Bonnie says it must have been three times, and his head hit a frail shelf outside one of the windows.

The boy landed on his feet in the cellar. His screams as he fell brought many of the people in the big tenement to their windows. A number of women occupants of the place became hysterical as they saw the little form shooting through the air. When finally he was picked up in the cellar Bonnie laughed pleasantly. Two or three cuts, slight ones, were the only marks that Bonnie bore as a result of his plunge. Ambulance Surgeon Fleming of St. Catherine's hospital was called, but he could find nothing serious the matter with the lad, who went upstairs again with his mother.

### Beaten Englishmen.

Is our glorious pre-eminence in the fields of sport departing from us? Certainly the portents are unfavorable. Young gentlemen from "down under" or from the land of the wooden nutmeg are coming over and carrying into captivity a large number of trophies that were wont to find a resting place in English homes.

Only last week, at Henley, certain of King Leopold's subjects proved too good for Leander in the grand challenge cup. In recent years we have seen American jockeys crouched somewhere in the neighborhood of horses' shoulders in positions that seemed to justify the late Charles Darwin, securing triumph after triumph on our courses, until a revela-

tion of some of their home-made business habits led the stewards of the jockey club to ask them to find some other means of livelihood.

"Muddled oafs" of strange complexion but undeniable gifts have wrought havoc on our football fields, and to crown our sorrows the "largest circulation of any penny morning paper" seems likely to devote to a discussion of our national shortcomings.—Illustrated London News.

### A Rendezvous.



### During the First Act.

Slowly, imperceptibly, almost sneakingly, as the lights were turned down and the play began, he slid his hand along the back of the seat in which she sat.

Then he leaned toward her and whispered:

"Laura," he said, between his set teeth, "I'll button up that gap in the back of your waist this time, but when you want anything of this kind done again you'll ask me to do it before we leave the house, or, by ginsger, you'll reach around and button it yourself."

Whereat Mrs. Ferguson merely glared at her husband and said nothing.

"It was one of these personally conducted tours."

"And how are they?"

"All to the good. Postcards were brought to us at every town. Often we didn't have to leave the train."

—Houston Chronicle.

God is not in the closet if He is not on the street.

Nursing sorrow is raising sin.

## SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Are Arranged For Every Day and Night.

AT THE KENTUCKY STATE FAIR

There Will Be Something Doing All the Time—Interesting and Instructive Features.

Are you a citizen of Kentucky, a member of any fraternal organization, a school child, a citizen of Southern Indiana, a German-American, an Irish-American, a laborer, an editor, or a militiaman? If so, you are specially provided for in the list of special nights and special days arranged in the program of the Kentucky State Fair to be held in Louisville Sept. 16 to 21. If you are not to be included in any of these classes, you will be taken care of on Everybody's Day. The State Fair management has arranged most interesting special days and special nights. These are enumerated as follows:

### SPECIAL DAYS.

COL. W. W. HITE, President Louisville Board of Trade, General Chairman.  
MONDAY, SEPT. 16—SCHOOL CHILDREN'S DAY.  
C. B. Nordman, Member Louisville School Board, Chairman.  
TUESDAY, SEPT. 17—FRATERNAL DAY.  
R. S. Brown, President Louisville Commercial Club, Chairman.  
WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 18—LOUISVILLE DAY.  
Geo. G. Fetter, Director Louisville Board of Trade, Chairman.  
THURSDAY, SEPT. 19—KENTUCKY DAY.  
Lew B. Brown of Harrodsburg, President Kentucky Press Association, Chairman.  
FRIDAY, SEPT. 20—SOUTHERN INDIANA DAY.  
Adam Heimberger, President New Albany Commercial Club, Chairman.  
SATURDAY, SEPT. 21—EVERYBODY'S DAY.  
Everybody, Chairman.

### SPECIAL NIGHTS.

J. V. Beckmann, Manager Retail Merchants' Association, General Chairman.  
MONDAY, SEPT. 16—GERMAN-AMERICAN NIGHT.  
F. W. Koeler, Chairman.  
TUESDAY, SEPT. 17—IRISH-AMERICAN NIGHT.  
—Thos. McCabe, Chairman.  
WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 18—LABOR NIGHT.  
John Young, President Louisville Federation of Labor, Chairman.  
THURSDAY, SEPT. 19—PRESS NIGHT.  
Young E. Allison, Chairman.  
FRIDAY, SEPT. 20—MILITARY NIGHT.  
Col. W. B. Haldeman, Colonel Commanding First Kentucky Regiment, Chairman.  
SATURDAY, SEPT. 21—FAREWELL NIGHT.  
Smith T. Bailey, Chairman.

Of all of these, Kentucky Day is expected to be the banner one of the great State Fair week. Mr. Brown, as President of the Kentucky Press Association, has named as his associates on the Kentucky Day Committee many of the State's most prominent newspaper men. This committee will arrange several big excursions to be run into Louisville on that day.

On the night of Kentucky Day, special attention is to be given to the editors, as the name of the night indicates. Colonel Young E. Allison, than whom there is no better known editor in the state, is chairman of Press Night, and will see that members of the tripod are handled in a way that will make their visit an oasis in the desert of pencil-pushing life.

One of the most beautiful sights of the fair will be that of ten thousand school children waving flags on the grand stand the opening day. A special rate of ten cents for admission has been made for all school children on this date.

On Fraternal Day lodges and societies of every character will have an inning. A big tent is to be provided for all organizations taking part, and here visitors may be received, welcomed and registered. Col. Brown is planning some interesting drills by uniform ranks of different organizations.

Mr. Heimberger is calling upon the commercial organizations of Southern Indiana, as well as the editors of that section, to make Southern Indiana Day one that will be a credit to that progressive section.

The German-Americans and Irish-Americans will fittingly celebrate on the two special nights named in their honor, while Wednesday evening will give to the laboring element an excellent chance to show its strength.

There will be no night, however, more attractive than that given over to military organizations. It is planned to have an exhibition drill and dress parade on the track in front of the grand stand on that evening. The glare of the arc lights and the glow of the incandescent, upon bayonets, epaulets and buttons, will present a most attractive picture.

Everybody's Day is for everybody who could not come on any other day, as well as for everybody who has come on every other day. It will have an excellent finale in the evening, when Chairman Bailey has planned a gorgeous program.

The avenue, both sides of which are to be lined with amusements as secured for the State Fair, has been dubbed "The Stretch." It will have the biggest and best amusement features of the year, the first under the wire.

Waiter (in restaurant)—Would you like a plate of green turtle soup, sir?

Uncle Hiram—Gosh! no. Ef yew ain't got no ripe turtle soup, I don't want any.—Chicago News.

## Member of a Great New York Family Sees and Talks With Spooks

New York, Sept. 2.—Edward Ward Vanderbilt, whose daughter, Minerva, says he is so dominated by his second wife, Mary S. Pepper, the professional spiritualist, that he is incompetent to manage his own affairs, testified today that he had given his wife a large share of his fortune. He told of presenting his wife with two houses in the last four months, one as a birthday remembrance, the other as a wedding gift. The value of both he estimated at \$18,500. Yet his annual income, he said, was only \$4,000.

Mr. Vanderbilt also expressed belief in the spiritualistic existence of "Bright Eyes," who in the flesh was an Indian girl, but who at present controls his wife. "Bright Eyes," he said, had brought him messages from his dead wife, to whom he said he was still married in spirit. "Bright Eyes" had even written him letters from Europe thanking him for fruit and candy, a locket and chain, which he had presented her in the person of Mrs. Pepper.

And lifting the curtain still higher over the world of the supernatural, Mr. Vanderbilt explained the moods, habits and customs of disembodied souls, for instance, how they keep constant watch and ward upon the doings of poor human beings.

There was as much rivalry among spirits in keeping tabs on things down here below, he said, as among business men who compete for trade. Spirits have their wrangles, disagreements, debates and all that. Now and then they fall to fighting, hammering each other in a way that would make the feathers fly, if spirits only were feathers.

Mr. Vanderbilt's examination took place in Brooklyn before a commission, consisting of Herbert Ketcham, a lawyer; Dr. Henry A. Farpaun, a physician, and Hubert G. Taylor, a banker. Throughout the grilling fire to which he was subjected, the witness appeared as calm as if in quiet communion with one of the spirits, of whose performances he spoke with such familiarity. Asked about his wife, he said:

"I worshiped her and still worship her in spirit. She died in my arms. I was overwhelmed with grief at the departure of her body, but knew that her soul was still with me. It is still with me yet. Two souls constitute a marriage and there should be only one such marriage. Her soul is with me perpetually."

"Then why did you marry Mrs. Pepper?"

"Simply for companionship. A man should have his companion. Companionship in the flesh is necessary to every man, but marriage of the soul comes only once."

Mr. Vanderbilt said that his first wife had been a firm believer in spiritualism. She had attended many meetings with him.

Mr. Vanderbilt gave clear answers to questions as to the functions of mediums and controlling spirits. He told with great detail of the meetings he had had attended with his former wife.

"And what did you see at these meetings?"

"Manifestations of an unknown power. I have seen tables tip. I have heard rappings in answer to questions put to the dead."

"Do you believe in the transference of thought from one spirit to another?"

"I do. It is on the principle of the wireless telegraph. Vibrations are sent off by one soul, which are received by another if it be in harmony with the first."

"Have you ever tried the vedanta philosophy?"

"I have. It teaches of breathing in rhythms and makes the blood flow faster, the brain clearer and more sensitive to thought transference. To breathe in rhythm you draw in the air in two or three breaths and then exhale in the same way. This philosophy also teaches that you can make the mind more sensitive by breathing in one nostril and out the other."

"What is a yogi?"

"A yogi," responded the witness, instantly recognizing a term taken from the occult teachings of a certain Hindoo sect, "is one who has obtained complete control of his body and, accordingly, of his spirit. I would faint yogi myself."

In telling of spirit communications received by Dr. Temple, the witness said that the spirit which controlled their medium was that of Thunder Cloud, an Indian chief. These words

were in English, but the voice which spoke them was something different from Mr. Temple's ordinary, everyday voice.

"Have you received a very great number of communications from the dead, Mr. Vanderbilt?"

"I was a sort of a spiritualist John," was the astonishing reply.

"When I was wont to attend meetings with my first wife, the spirits would speak to others present, but would almost invariably skip me."

"Do you believe it possible to photograph spirits?"

"I do not."

"Do you believe in a later life?"

"No. Life is perpetual. We are constantly changing. We always remain here. Take your own case. When you were 10 years old you were not like you are today. You have completely changed. Your body and mind have completely changed."

In spite of the ruling that Mrs. Pepper does not figure in the case as a party to the defense, Mr. Arnsstein is anxiously searching for her as a witness.

"I want to put Mrs. Pepper on the stand, but fear I shall be unable. I have tried to reach her by process servers, but so far in vain. At present she is in hiding in another state," he said.

The examination continues tomorrow.

### GENERAL ROBERT E. LEE

Was the greatest general the world has ever known. Ballard Snow Lintment is the greatest Liniment. Quickly cures all pains. It is within the reach of all. E. H. Painter, Hempstead, Texas, writes: "This is to certify that Ballard's Snow Lintment has been used in my household for years and has been found to be an excellent Liniment for Rheumatic pains. I am never without it." Sold by J. H. Gehlschlaeger, Lang Bros. and C. O. Ripley.

### LAND ROW IS SETTLED AT LAST

State Auditor Deliver Deed to 20,904.37 Acres Involved in Railway Grant.

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 2.—The old controversy over the title to land included in a grant to the old Hastings & Dakota railroad has been closed by the delivery by State Auditor S. G. Iverson of deeds to 20,904.47 acres of land to this land has been involved in litigation twelve years, and the termination of the controversy was made possible by an act of the legislature passed last winter.

The land grant was made by an act of congress, and the list of lands included was certified to the state for the benefit of the company. Later complications arose, however, and in 1895 the Minnesota legislature declared the land grant forfeited. The grant having originated in an act of congress, however, the federal authorities refused to pay any attention to the legislative act, and the company took the matter into the courts, with the result that its title to the land was confirmed.

Ever since the passage of the act of 1905, however, the state officials have refused to issue deeds for the land, in view of the fact that the state legislature had ordered the grant forfeited. As the title of the railroad has been upheld by the courts the legislature last winter passed an act repealing the act of 1905. This cleared the way for a settlement of the question, and Gov. Johnson has now signed the deeds which will give the settlers on the lands in question a clear title to their lands. While they have heretofore been in undisturbed possession of the land, the failure of the state to issue deeds left a cloud on the title.

The deeds just issued cover lands located in eight of the counties of the state as follows: Swift, 11,119.38; Stevens, 5,191.18; Big Stone, 2,951.44; Chippewa, 1,998.89; Kandiyohi, 240; Yellow Medicine, 160; Lac qui Parle, 93.67; McLeod, 49.1.

### SHE FOUND RELIEF

If you are troubled with liver complaint and have not received help read this. Mrs. Mary E. Hammond, Moody, Tex., writes: "I was in poor health—with liver trouble—for over a year. Doctors did me no good and I tried Herbine, and three bottles cured me. I can't say too much for Herbine, as it is a wonderful liver medicine. I always have it in the house. Publish where you wish." Sold by J. H. Gehlschlaeger, Lang Bros. and C. O. Ripley.

### Goshawk's Changing Plumage.

I know no bird which passes through so many changes of plumage and color of eyes as the goshawk.

A young one which I have mounted is about the size of a small hen and is covered with white down. His eyes are pale blue. I colored the eyes exactly from life. When fully grown the first plumage is dark brown above and the eyes are pale yellow. No one would be likely to suspect this being a goshawk who had only seen adult birds.

Later it changes to the dark shady blue of the adult, and the eye, after passing through all the intermediate changes in color from straw yellow orange yellow and pink, finally assumes the deep rich red of the adult. —Forest and Stream.

Usually when a man imagines he is in love he merely has a touch of dyspepsia.

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First—Because it irons smoothly, not rough.

Second—The button holes or stud holes match.

Third—Negligee shirts with buttons are ironed perfectly and without injury.

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People of All Ages, of all talents, of diverse abilities, for suitable lines of employment—

Used Things—such as Pianos, Organs, Every Sort of Musical Instrument, Writing Machines, Cash Registers, Store and Office Fixtures, Talking Machines, Books, Engravings, Post Cards, Stamp Collections, Rugs, Carpets, Furniture of every kind—

Horses and Carriages, trucks, business wagons, bicycles, guns, cameras, fishing tackle, automobiles—

Real Estate—lots, plots, acres, leaseholds, equities, houses, flats, apartments, stores—

Instruction in painting, singing, the violin and piano, short-hand, accounting, correspondence, language, dancing—

Places to Live—houses, apartments, furnished rooms, boarding places where life is interesting.

These are some of the thousands of people and things that are "wanted" in this city just now, and if you can fill any of these "wants"

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Through a SUN Want Advertisement.



## DOCTORS MISTAKES

are said often to be buried six feet under ground. But many times women call on their family physicians, suffering as they imagine, one from dyspepsia, another from heart disease, another from liver or kidney disease, another with nervous prostration, another with pain here and there, and in this way they present alike to themselves and their easy-going or over-busy doctor, separate diseases, for which he, assuming them to be such, prescribes his pills and potions. In reality, they are all only symptoms caused by some uterine disease. The physician, ignorant of the cause of suffering, keeps up his treatment until large bills are made. The suffering patient gets no better. It is because of the wrong treatment, but probably worse, a proper medicine like Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, directed to the cause would have entirely removed the disease, thereby dispelling all those distressing symptoms, and instituting comfort instead of prolonged misery. It has been well said, that "a disease known is half cured."

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a scientific medicine, carefully devised by an experienced and skillful physician, and adapted to woman's delicate system. It is made of native American medicinal roots and is perfectly harmless in its effects in any condition of the female system.

As a powerful invigorating tonic "Favorite Prescription" imparts strength to the whole system and to the organs distinctly feminine in particular. For overworked, "worn-out," run-down, debilitated, nervous, "shop-girls," house-keepers, nursing mothers, and feeble women generally, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the greatest earthly boon, being unequalled as an appetizing cordial and restorative tonic.

As a soothing and strengthening nerve "Favorite Prescription" is unequalled and is invaluable in allaying and subduing nervous excitability, irritability, nervous exhaustion, nervous prostration, neuralgia, hysteria, nervous depression, and all other distressing, nervous symptoms commonly attendant upon functional and organic disease of the uterus. It induces refreshing sleep and relieves mental anxiety and despondency.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets invigorate the stomach, liver and bowels. One to three a dose. Easy to take and candy.

## My Rosary.

The coin I spent on thee, dear heart,  
O, that it might come back to me!  
I count it over while the tear drops start—  
O, hully gee!

You came to me an angel rare,  
When all my soul with grief was wrung;  
You came and gave your sympathy  
For fair—  
And I got stung!

O, memories, why don't you turn  
Away—and let me forget my loss!  
I wonder if us dubs will ever learn—  
It makes me cross,  
Sweetheart,

## It makes me cross!

—Milwaukee Sentinel.

## Lost and Found.

Lost, between 9:30 a. m., yesterday and noon today, a bilious attack, with nausea and sick headache. This loss was occasioned by finding at all druggists a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed for biliousness, malaria and jaundice. 25c.

## Romance in Modern Trade.

The fact that a man today can sit down in a restaurant overlooking the Thames embankment, or at a table under the trees at the edge of the Thiergarten, and dine on fresh salmon brought from the waters of California, Oregon and Alaska, shows graphically how industrial efficiency has given romance to modern trade. —London Ocean.

## AN Ounce of Prevention

Is worth a pound of cure. There are many poor sufferers. Consumptives who are hopeless of getting well—who if they had taken care of themselves would now be well. A cough is the foundation of Consumption. Ballard's Horehound Syrup will cure that cough. Mrs. S., Great Falls, Montana, writes: "I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup in my family for years—my children never suffer with coughs." Sold by J. H. Gehlischneier, Lang Bros. and C. O. Ripley.

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## THE LION AND THE MOUSE.

By CHARLES KLEIN.

A Story of American Life Novelized From the Play by ARTHUR HORNBLow.

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## CHAPTER XVI.

WHEN Shirley reached her room she broke down completely. She threw herself upon a sofa and burst into a fit of violent sobbing. After all, she was only a woman, and the ordeal through which she had passed would have taxed the strongest powers of endurance. She had borne up courageously while there remained the faintest chance that she might succeed in moving the financier to pity, but now that all hopes in that direction were shattered and she herself had been ordered harshly from the house, like any ordinary malefactor, the reaction set in, and she gave way freely to her long pent-up anguish and distress. Nothing now could save her father, not even this journey to Washington which she determined to take nevertheless; for, according to what Stott had said, the senate was to take a vote that very night.

She looked at the time—11 o'clock. She had told Mr. Ryder that she would leave his house at once, but on reflection it was impossible for a girl alone to seek a room at that hour. It would be midnight before she could get her things packed. No, she would stay under this hated roof until morning and then take the first train to Washington. There was still a chance that the vote might be delayed, in which case she might yet succeed in winning over some of the senators. She began to gather her things together and was thus engaged when she heard a knock at her door.

"Who's there?" she called out.

"It's I," replied a familiar voice.

Shirley went to the door and opening it found Jefferson on the threshold.

He made no attempt to enter, nor did he invite him in. He looked tired and enervated.

"Of course, you're not going to-night?" he asked anxiously. "My father did not mean to-night."

"No, Jeff," she said wearily, "not to-night. It's a little too late. I did not realize it. Tomorrow morning, early."

He seemed reassured and held out his hand.

"Good night, dearest. You're a brave girl. You made a splendid fight."

"It didn't do much good," she replied in a disheartened, listless way.

"But it set him thinking," rejoined Jefferson. "No one ever spoke to my father like that before. It did him good. He's still mulling up and down the library, chewing the cud."

Noticing Shirley's tired face and her eyes, with great black circles underneath, he stepped short.

"Now, don't do any more packing to-night," he said. "Go to bed, and in the morning I'll come up and help you. Good night!"

"Good night, Jeff," she smiled.

He went downstairs, and after doing some more packing she went to bed. But it was hours before she got to sleep, and then she dreamed that she was in the senate chamber and that she saw Ryder suddenly rise and denounce himself before the astonished senators as a perjurer and traitor to his country, while she returned to Masasequa with the glad news that her father was acquitted.

Meantime a solitary figure remained in the library, pacing to and fro like a lost soul in purgatory. Mrs. Ryder had returned from the play and gone to bed, serenely oblivious of the drama in real life that had been enacted at home. The servants locked the house for the night, and still John Burkett Ryder walked the floor of his sanctum, and late into the small hours of the morning the watchman going his lonely rounds saw a light in the library and the restless figure of his employer sharply silhouetted against the white blinds.

For the first time in his life John Ryder realized that there was something in the world beyond self. He had seen with his own eyes the sacrifice a daughter will make for the father she loves, and he asked himself what manner of a man that father could be to inspire such devotion in his child. He probed into his own heart and conscience and reviewed his past career. He had been phenomenally successful, but he had not been happy. He had more money than he knew what to do with, but the pleasures of the domestic circle, which he saw other men enjoy, had been denied to him. Was he himself to blame? Had his insatiable craving for gold and power led him to neglect those other things in life which contribute more truly to man's happiness? In other words, was his life a mistake? Yes, it was true what this girl charged—his had been merciless and unscrupulous in his dealings with his fellow man. It was true that hardly a dollar of his vast fortune had been honestly earned. It was true that it had been wrung from the people by fraud and trickery. He had carved for power, yet now he had tasted it, what a hollow joy it was, after all! The public hated and despised him. Even his so-called friends and business associates toadied to him merely because they feared him. And this judge—this father he had persecuted and ruined—what a better man and citizen he was! How much more worthy of a child's love and of the esteem of the world!

What had Judge Rossmore done, after all, to deserve the frightful punishment the amalgamated interests had caused him to suffer? If he had black-

ed their game he had done only what his oath, his duty, commanded him to do. Such a girl as Shirley Rossmore could not have had any other kind of a father. Ah, if he had had such a daughter he might have been a better man, if only to win his child's respect and affection. John Ryder pondered long and deeply, and the more he ruminated the stronger the conviction grew upon him that the girl was right and he was wrong. Suddenly he looked at his watch. It was 1 o'clock. Roberts had told him that it would be an all night session and that a vote would probably not be taken until very late. He unhooked the telephone and, calling "central," asked for "long distance" and connection with Washington.

It was 7 o'clock when the maid entered Shirley's room with her breakfast, and she found its occupant up and dressed.

"Why, you haven't been to bed, miss?" exclaimed the girl, looking at the bed in the inner room, which seemed scarcely disturbed.

"No, Theresa, I—I couldn't sleep." Hastily pouring out a cup of tea, she added: "I must catch that 9 o'clock train to Washington. I didn't finish packing until nearly 3."

"Can I do anything for you, miss?" inquired the maid. Shirley was as popular with the servants as with the rest of the household.

"No," answered Shirley, "there are only a few things to go in my suitcase. Will you please have a cab here in half an hour?"

The maid was about to go when she suddenly thought of something she had forgotten. She held out an envelope which she had left lying on the tray.

"Oh, miss, Mr. Jenkins said to give you this and master wanted to see you as soon as you had finished your breakfast."

Shirley tore open the envelope and took out the contents. It was a check, payable to her order for \$5,000 and signed "John Burkett Ryder."

A deep flush covered the girl's face as she saw the money—a flush of annoyance rather than of pleasure. This man who had insulted her, who had wronged her father, who had driven her from his home, thought he could throw his gold at her and insolently send her her pay as one settles laughingly with a servant discharged for impertinence. She would have none of his money—the work she had done she would make him a present of. She replaced the check in the envelope and passed it back to Theresa.

"Give this to Mr. Ryder and tell him I cannot see him."

"But Mr. Ryder said"—insisted the girl.

"Please deliver my message as I give it," commanded Shirley with authority. "I cannot see Mr. Ryder."

The maid withdrew, but she had barely closed the door when it was opened again and Mrs. Ryder rushed in without knocking. She was all flushed with excitement and in such a hurry that she had not even stopped to arrange her toilet.

"My dear Miss Green," she gasped, "what's this I hear—going away suddenly without giving me warning?"

"I wasn't engaged by the month," replied Shirley dryly.

"I know, dear, I know. I was thinking of myself. I've grown so used to you—how shall I get on without you? No one understands me the way you do. Dear me! The whole house is upset. Mr. Ryder never went to bed at all last night. Jefferson is going away, too—forever, he threatens. If he hadn't come and woke me up to say goodby,

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Mrs. Ryder was not accustomed to such prolonged flights of oratory, and she sank exhausted on a chair, her eyes filling with tears.

"Did they tell you who I am—the daughter of Judge Rossmore?" demanded Shirley.

It had been a shock to Mrs. Ryder that morning when Jefferson burst into his mother's room before she was up and acquainted her with the events of the previous evening. The news that the Miss Green whom she had grown to love was really the Miss Rossmore of whose relations with Jefferson her husband stood in such dread was far from affecting the financier's wife as it had Ryder himself. To the mother's simple and ingenuous mind, free from prejudice and ulterior motive, the girl's character was more important than her name, and certainly she could not blame her son for loving such a woman as Shirley. Of course, it was unfortunate for Jefferson that his father felt this bitterness toward Judge Rossmore, for she herself could hardly have wished for a more sympathetic daughter-in-law. She had not seen her husband since the previous evening at dinner, so was in complete ignorance as to what he thought of this new development, but the mother sighed as she thought how happy it would make her to see Jefferson happily married to the girl of his own choice, and in her heart she still entertained the hope that her husband would see it that way and thus prevent their son from leaving them as he threatened.

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A humane citizen of Richmond, Ind., Mr. U. D. Williams, 107 West Main street, says: "I appeal to all persons with weak lungs to take Dr. King's New Discovery, the only remedy that has helped me and fully comes up to the proprietor's recommendation." It saves more lives than all other throat and lung remedies put together. Used as a cough and cold cure the world over. Cures asthma, bronchitis, croup, whooping cough, quinsy, hoarseness and phthisis, stops hemorrhages of the lungs and builds them up. Guaranteed at all druggists. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

## The Smelts Were Biting.

John Quincy Adams, of Massachusetts, third of that name, who died about ten years ago, was very fond of fishing, and not especially fond of his legal profession.

One day, the story runs, a case in which he was counsel was down for trial in a Massachusetts court. Mr. Adams did not make his appearance, but sent a letter to the judge. That worthy gentleman read and then postponed the case with the announcement:

"Mr. Adams is detained on important business."

It was afterward learned by a colleague of Adams that the letter read as follows:

"Dear Judge: For the sake of old Isaac Walton, please continue my case till Friday. The smelts are biting, and I can't leave."—New York Times.

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"What's your name?" demanded the eminent jurist.

"Joshua, judge," drawled the prisoner.

"Joshua, who made the sun stand still?" smiled the judge, in amusement at the laconic answer.

"No, sir, Joshua, who made the moon shine," answered the quick-witted mountaineer.

And it is needless to say that Judge Speer made the sentence as light as he possibly could, saying to his friends in telling the story that it was like that deserved some recompense.

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It isn't easy for a man to keep cool when it is up to him to choose between the frying pan and the fire.

## THE RAID ON MINERVA ISLAND.

(Original.)

"Boat, ahoy! Any harbor on that island?"

"Yes, but you can't go in there."

"Why not?"

"That's Minerva Island. Occupied and managed by women. They don't allow any men there. Got guns mounted to protect the channel."

"Old girls or young ones?"

"Mostly young ones."

That was enough for the yachtsmen. A council was held, and it was determined to make a conquest of Minerva island or die in the attempt. There were Lynn Pomeroy, Truby Miller, Reid Scarborough and Henry Ruddle. They had all been graduated the preceding June in the same class at college, and Pomeroy, the wealthy one of the lot, had invited the rest for a summer cruise on his yacht, the Vulcan. Ten minutes after the council broke up they sailed between two points of land up toward the harbor.

They had not gone far before a boat put off from shore manned by six girls in white, with blue sailor collars and blue tans-o-shanter hats with white bands. They came alongside the yacht, and one in the stern politely requested the party to keep off. Pomeroy bowed nearly to the deck and declared that he had come to make an inspection of Minerva island and write up an account of it for the benefit of the women of America who were interested in it. He was informed that this would not be permitted. Then, with a warning to proceed no further, the boat was pulled away. The yacht sailed on up the channel between two forts. Suddenly a dozen girls in each fort sprang to the guns, and two shots were fired simultaneously. One cut away the yacht's bowsprit; the other put a hole amidships.

This looked serious. The wreckage forward occasioned a loss of control, and the yacht drifted down stern foremost. As soon as possible the anchor was dropped, and the Vulcan remained hors de combat half a mile below the forts. Not having guns aboard, an offensive move was impracticable.

Soon after dark Henry Ruddle, a seaplane of the first order and the crack lar of his class in college, bid adieu to his shipmates and, plunging into the water, struck out for the shore. He got within a few yards of it when he gave a cry for help. A boat put out from a landing, and, following his cries, he was rescued. Taken ashore and revived, he was asked to explain.

"Those men on the yacht," he gasped, "are a set of devils. Just because I advocated letting you young ladies alone they pitched me overboard, knowing I couldn't swim a stroke."

"The wretches!" exclaimed the girls at once.

"How I got as far as I did I don't know. Permit me to thank you young ladies for my life." The last words were spoken in a tremulous voice, and the girls simultaneously exclaimed:

"Poor fellow!"

Nothing was heard aboard the yacht of the man who had been "thrown overboard." He was treated kindly by the owners and defenders of Minerva island and at once started a violent love affair (concealed, of course) with the captain of the battery. The next evening Truby Miller was pulled in the dingy under cover of the darkness past the forts up to the main dock near where were the principal buildings of the community. He, too, was "pitched overboard" and, reaching the dock, asked the first woman he met to take him at once before the governor of the island. The governor scowled, and Miller told his story. He had swum ashore to inform the ladies that the men on the yacht were intending to tow the dingy past the forts at midnight with the dingy. He had protested, but without avail, and had then resolved to spoil the game.

The governor informed him that a searchlight was in position and would be used if the night was so dark that it would be needed, but since the moon would rise at 10 o'clock it would probably not be needed. She thanked him, however, for his noble conduct and ordered him treated well till he could be sent away.

No attempt was made to pass the forts, and the next day a man was seen from the shore to cut the dingy's painter and pull away from the yacht, followed by shots. It was Scarborough, who came ashore with another cock and bull story about the men on the yacht and their intention to steal ashore in a body and put the dingies on the island to the sword. The crew on the yacht now consisted of Pomeroy, who was obliged to fire revolvers with both hands to make an appearance of men instead of a man. Then Pomeroy deserted, and the four men agreed to protect the women against those who remained in the yacht, and not one should get ashore if it required all their four lives to prevent it. The yacht was now lying at anchor without a soul aboard.

Several days passed. The yachtsmen averred that the deserted appearance of the yacht indicated some underhand cutthroat scheme was to be perpetrated. On the evening of the fourth day the men asked for a boat to reconnoiter. It was given them, and they left the dock, never to be seen on it again. The next morning the yacht was nowhere to be seen, and four of the girls failed to answer to roll call—namely, the captain of the battery, one tutor and two seniors.

The governor called the community together in the chapel and pointed out the wisdom of their course in keeping aloof from treacherous men. But a guard of illiterate, red headed, snaggle toothed men was hired to protect the harbor.

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Prize Nature Fakery Story Comes From New Jersey—All True, It is Alleged.

New York, Sept. 2.—A novel use for white rats was discovered by Edmund P. Condit, of Verona, N. J., when the hayrads on a thirty-foot flagpole broke and one of the little rodents repaired the damage.

Mr. Condit gave a children's lawn party at his home in Grove avenue in honor of his son Edmund's ninth birthday. A flagpole had stood on the lawn for many years, and it, as well as the rope with which the flag was raised had become rotten. The condition of the staff was such that it was unsafe for any one to attempt to climb it. Albert Wolff, 13 years old, son of a neighbor, thought differently.

"Mr. Condit," he said, "Jimmy can take a light cord up to the top of the pole and run it through the pulley. When he comes down with the end we can put a new rope to raise the flag with."

"No, sir," was Mr. Condit's emphatic answer. "I will permit no boy—"

"Jimmy ain't no boy," Albert interrupted. "It's my pet white rat, and he'll do just what I tell him."

Albert then started for his home at top speed, returning a few minutes later with a large white rat perched on his shoulder. A ball of twine was procured and unrolled. The end of the string was next tied around the rat's body, and Albert placed the little animal against the side of the pole and pointed up. Without faltering a moment, he began the climb, and was soon on the ledge just under the ball which surmounts the pole.

What next to do Jimmy did not know, and, although Albert shouted all sorts of instructions to his little pet, he could not understand.

Finally Mr. Condit said that the rat had shown remarkable intelligence, but that to carry the cord through the pulley block was too much to ask. Albert said nothing, but, calling Jimmy down, he took the rat again on his shoulder and started for the barn. In a few minutes he again returned, bringing with him a heavy pulley.

The cord was again tied about the rat and the boy had him pass through the rope hole in the block again and again, until the lesson was thoroughly learned. Again the little animal was placed against the side of the flagpole, with the cord about his body and again it started upward. This time there was no hesitancy on the part of Jimmy about what to do. When the pulley was reached he crawled through the hole, which was of unusual size, partly because of its rotten condition, with the string, and down the pole again.

The rope was attached to the cord and adjusted, and the stars and stripes was fastened, and the children's party was enjoyed beneath its fluttering folds, thanks to Albert and his trained rat Jimmy.

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#### SCORES IN THE BIG LEAGUE.

With nearly faultless support and encouragement from many fans in the grand stand, Southpaw Davis, the crack Murray pitcher, shut out the crack Metropolis Blues at Wallace park yesterday afternoon by a score of 12 to 0. It was no more than just that the big twirler should get the shut out, having worked hard and practically earned one two weeks ago when an infielder let a skimmer go past and threw the locals into the air. Everybody worked like a piece of machinery about the big pitcher, and there was ginger in the game from start to finish.

Block, Paducah's star catcher, worked behind the bat for the visitors, Doyle being handicapped with bruises, and played good ball. Probably because he did not have his regular catcher, Dye, the star Metropolis pitcher, failed to show up in his usual form. The battery work began in the first inning when everybody walked up and took a hit at Dye. Several were doubles, and it took the heart out of the Blues in the outset.

Downs, a Murray infielder, worked at short for Paducah, and showed up well. Williams, another Murray boy, played the outfield, and was conspicuous with the stick. E. H. Hay, a Murray catcher, handled big Davis and did it well. His work was faultless.

This afternoon the second game will be played by the two teams, and after yesterday's exhibition, the grand stand will doubtless be packed.

The score yesterday:

	R	H	E
Paducah	12	9	2
Metropolis	0	3	3

Batteries—Davis and Hay; Dye and Block.

#### SUNDAY'S GAMES.

##### National League.

	R	H	E
Chicago	2	7	3
St. Louis	7	12	5

Batteries—Ruebach and Moran; McGlynn and Noonan.

	R	H	E
Cincinnati	1	8	2
Pittsburg	6	2	2

Batteries—Smith and McLean; Willis and Gibson.

Second game:

	R	H	E
Cincinnati	2	6	1
Pittsburg	2	7	3

Batteries—Coakley and McLean; Camnitz, Leever and Gibson.

##### American League.

	R	H	E
St. Louis	1	10	2
Cleveland	2	8	3

Batteries—Peltz and Stevens; Liebhardt, Bemis and Clark.

	R	H	E
Chicago	3	4	5
Detroit	1	3	0

Batteries—White and Sullivan; Mullin, Schmidt and Payne.

#### SATURDAY'S GAMES.

##### American League.

Chicago, 2; Cleveland 2. (eight in-

nings.)  
Detroit, 5; St. Louis, 0.  
Philadelphia, 3; New York, 0.  
Washington, 1; Boston, 0.

##### National League.

New York, 9; Boston, 6. (seven innings.)  
Pittsburg, 5; St. Louis 4. (thirteen innings.)  
Philadelphia, 5; Brooklyn, 1. (first game.)  
Philadelphia, 3; Brooklyn, 2. (seven innings.)

#### LITTLE STORIES OF THE LATE NELSON MORRIS.

On one occasion when Mr. Morris was discussing an important matter with the head of one of the departments a negro preacher walked into the room.

As the preacher entered Mr. Morris said: "Well, Sam, what can I do for you?"

"We thought you might help us," said the preacher. "We have not come to you before."

"No, but lots of others have," said Mr. Morris.

The negro sighed and folding up his papers turned to leave the room. As he went Mr. Morris watched him and called him back as he reached the door.

"Where is your place?" he said. "Is it a big red brick building on Dearborn street?" The man replied in the affirmative.

"All right," said Mr. Morris. "You tell your folks that I will stop in there some day, and if it is any good I will give something."

The next day Mr. Morris called, saw the place and sent them \$1,000.

"Any young man can become rich if he earns \$5 a month and saves."

This was the philosophy which Mr. Morris often rehearsed for the benefit of men who wanted to know how to amass wealth. But he always added, with a smile:

"But the saving is the important part."

"I began my career at a wage of \$5 a month and my board," he would say. "I had saved \$35 at the end of the first year, and then I went into business for myself."

"Young man, it is the easiest thing in the world, this making money. All you need is resolution to spend less than you make and a cheerful disposition that will permit no discouragement to turn you aside from your purpose."

"Now, go to work and aim for the highest place in your business. You can get there if you honestly try. But whatever you do, do honestly."

One day an old stock raiser, who had dealt with Mr. Morris for years, came to Chicago with a trainload of poor, underfed cattle. The old man was pretty nearly "down and out" and didn't even have enough money to get home on. He tried to sell his cattle all over the yards, but no one would buy them. Finally he went to "Nels" Morris.

"I can't buy those cattle," said Mr. Morris. "They are way below the market and you couldn't get within fifteen cents of the market price for them."

"Take 'em for twenty-five cents less than the market," said the stock raiser, but Morris said: "No, if I give you less than the market you'll think I'm skinning you, and I don't want that. Weigh 'em up, boys, and I'll take them at the market price."

A story is told that on one occasion a commission merchant "fell down" on his contract with Mr. Morris and the latter was about to enforce it when the merchant sent his seventeen-year-old boy to interview the packer.

"Father couldn't help it," said the

boy to Mr. Morris, and the latter, putting his hand on the boy's head, said: "I don't know about that, but for your sake I'll call it off."

"A boy who took honors at Yale ought to be a successful man," Mr. Morris once said to a young man whom he met casually.

"I am glad to hear you say that," was the response, "but I would hardly expect it from a man who is known as 'self-made.'"

"Why one of the things I most deeply regret is that I did not go to one of those great schools. When I came from Europe I was thirteen years old and had to go to work for a man who was unsympathetic and unkind. Traveling through the New England states, I used to sit down by the road and watch the boys coming out of the schools and wonder if they were, like my notion of those across the water, all of them princes. "I liked to think of the time I could stop work and go to school. You have been to one of the best of them. Come to see me when you can."

"If 'Nels' Morris ate a piece of beef steak he could tell you from what part of the country came the steer from which it was cut." This comment was made by one of the old stockmen at the "yards," who had known Mr. Morris for years. While it may not be literally true, it was nearly so. He knew the stock raisers as no other man.

Mr. Morris' whittling whims were well known in the yards. He delighted in peeling the bark from a stick and in whittling it into matchwood. His whittling was so proverbial that this maxim was common among the cattle sellers:

"When Nels Morris whittles toward himself look out for storms. Don't try to sell him anything. Wait until he turns his knife and whittles the other way, and then his temper will be cleared."

A sense of humor that showed itself occasionally manifested itself one hot summer afternoon at the stockyards when an associate said to Mr. Morris:

"I wonder where the coolest place in the yard is?"

"Over there," replied Mr. Morris. "I've looked everywhere else for my buyers and haven't found them."

Of his assistance to young men many stories are told. One of them runs that he met at the door of the First National bank, of which he was a director, a man, now a millionaire, who appeared troubled. When he heard the difficulty Mr. Morris went to the bank officers and said:

"If he hasn't got the assets for further credit, he has the character. Give him what he wants."

As three physicians were gathered around Mr. Morris for an examination preliminary to their consultation Sunday evening, the patient looked from one to the other, and then said with a slight smile:

"I'm in a place now where your brains are worth more than my money."

"Jeff" Davis' Wine Found.

A bottle of wine once owned by Jefferson Davis was found here this week. While Mrs. C. A. Alexander was having cleaned out an old closet, which for many years had not been used, she came across several bottles in a far corner of the closet. It was discovered that one of the bottles had been presented to a Washington lady by President Davis on the occasion of his last visit to Washington, when he held the final meeting of the depleted Confederate cabinet in the old Heard House. There was information which had been passed on one of the bottles to show who the distinguished donor was.—Washington, Ga., Dispatch.

### RIVER NEWS

The Bob Dudley will arrive from Nashville Tuesday night or Wednesday morning and leaves at noon Wednesday on return trip.

The Dick Fowler laid up today to give employees an opportunity to enjoy Labor Day.

The Joe Fowler left this morning for Evansville with a good freight trip.

The Cowling made her regular morning trip from Metropolis today. The Royal arrived on time this morning from Golconda.

The J. B. Richardson ran a colored excursion to Cairo yesterday and had a large crowd.

The Henry Harley and Buttorff arrived from Nashville Sunday to lay up until a better stage of water.

The Pavana is in from Tennessee river.

The Blue Spot cleared yesterday for Tennessee river.

The Lydia went to Cumberland river Saturday night late.

Captain Harry Mix, chief engineer on the Dick Fowler, got a leave of absence and went to Swan Lake, Ill., to join his wife.

The City of Savannah passed up last night from St. Louis to Tennessee river.

The City of Saltillo passed out of Tennessee river to St. Louis last night.

The Henrietta got in last night from Tennessee river.

Observations taken at 7 a. m. Gauge reads 10.4, a rise of 0.3 in 24 hours. Wind north. Clear and warm. S. A. FOWLER.  
Local Observer.

#### Cat Braves the Fire.

The burning of Charles Van Sise's stable and shed in Vesta avenue, near Fulton street, in Brooklyn, yesterday afternoon gave Chief Duff and his men a chance to do something in the way of nature study. The particular object was a scrawny looking cat, who insisted on hanging around throughout all the excitement and mewing pitifully, to the surprise of the firemen and policemen.

Despite the kicks and blows aimed at her by the guardians of the peace, she succeeded finally in breaking through the hose-strewn area to the smoldering building. Even a fierce stream of water turned on her by a grinning fireman failed to do more than swerve her momentarily from her object. Making a quick dash for the ruins, she reappeared shortly carrying a kitten in her mouth, and ran with it to the first dry spot she could find. Another trip followed, and another kitten was brought out. The cat went back, but the crowd were disappointed when she emerged without the expected burden. The cause was revealed later, when Chief Duff went in to "rubber" and found five kittens all dead.—New York Tribune.

#### The Happiest Man.

The happiest man in the land today is the successful farmer. He sits under his own vine and fig tree, undisturbed by the maddening noise of the great city. Banks fail, railroads go into the hands of receivers, booming towns collapse, all business stagnates. But the wise farmer can snap his fingers at these things. He is the monarch of all he surveys on his broad acres. And the honesty of his boys and the purity of his girls is guarded against temptations, and in them he is giving his country its best manhood and womanhood. The farmer is to be envied, and, if he is not contented with his lot, he is lacking in wisdom.—West Point News.

Even the fickle-minded compositor has set ways.

#### Dictionary Wisdom.

"Haberdasher" is from the Icelandic "hapurtask" or "haftask," meaning "havesack" or "trumpet." "Haft" is the Icelandic word for oars, and "task" signifies a pocket.

The word "milliner" is from "Milliner"—one who imported silks and ribbons from Milan.

"To show the white feather," meaning to prove oneself a coward, is a phrase borrowed from the cockpit. Game fowls are red and black, but white feathers would naturally appear when there was any cross, and, since the slightest impurity of strain is said to destroy the bird's courage, the half-breeds are not trained for fighting. Long ago it became an adage that any cock would fight on his own rump, but it must be one without a white feather to fight in the pit.

The correspondent who seeks justification of the phrase "some few" is referred to the New York Sun, which answered a similar query some time since. The Sun reported the finding of "some few" in the English Bible and in Shakespeare, and declared that it had been used "some few thousands of hundreds of thousands of times" by the best English authors. It added: "The whole pack of English grammars is but a set of fossilized rules and obiter dicta about this wonderful, illimitable and passionately living speech."—Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

"It must be some consolation to know that you made your late husband happy."

"Oh! yes. Poor George was in heaven till he died."—Illustrated Bits.

"How well Miss Smudgely talks of her travels abroad." "She never has been abroad." "But she knows all about the leading points of interest." "Yes, from picture postals."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### NEWS NOTES FROM SUNDAY PAPERS.

Congressman A. O. Stanley delivered an address to a mass meeting of tobacco growers at Hopkinsville in which he dealt largely with the working of the tobacco trust. Among other things he charged the trust with inspiring a recent article in an eastern paper purporting to give a history of the so-called tobacco war in Kentucky and Tennessee.

The announcement is made at the war department that disciplinary measures will be used if necessary to put an end to the use by families of army officers of cars chartered by the government for the transportation of troops.

With the approval of Pope Pius, Monsignor Agius, the apostolic delegate in the Philippine Islands, has confided the religious administration of the islands to the Belgian congregations in place of the deposed friars.

The high court of justice at Abo has sentenced 40 of the Sveaborg mutineers to four years' penal servitude, the two ringleaders to six and five years respectively, and several others to three years' imprisonment.

Prince Wilhelm of Sweden in an interview with a party of newspaper men in New York expressed his delight at his reception in America and his admiration of the American people and their institutions.

The statement of New York clearinghouse banks for the past week shows that the banks hold \$8,756,450 more than the legal reserve requirements. This is a decrease of \$1,219,959 as compared with the previous week.

A case of plague is reported on the mail steamer Sierra, just arrived at Honolulu, a member of the crew being ill. The cabin passengers have

all been landed and the sailing of the steamer will be delayed.

Two attempts were made to wreck passenger trains on the Erie railroad a few miles south of Cleveland, but in both cases the attempts were frustrated by the timely discovery of the obstructions.

Mrs. Grace I. Bothner, wife of Augustus Bothner, a theatrical manager, committed suicide at her home in New York by shooting. She had been in ill-health.

James R. Keene's unbeaten colt, Collin, won the Futurity Handicap at Saratoga. Bar None ran second and Chapultepec was third.

Cablegrams from Rome say that Mount Vesuvius continued in action yesterday. The crater is slowly emitting lava and smoke.

#### When He Stopped.

In a suit lately tried in a Maryland court the plaintiff had testified that his financial position had always been a good one. The opposing counsel took him in hand for cross-examination and undertook to break down his testimony upon this point.

"Have you ever been bankrupt?" asked the counsel.

"I have not."

"Now be careful," admonished the lawyer, with raised finger. "Did you ever stop payment?"

"Yes."

"Ah, I thought we should get at the truth," observed counsel, with an unpleasant smile. "When did this suspension of payment occur?"

"When I had paid all I owed," was the naive reply of the plaintiff.—Success Magazine.

In all races the man's brain averages 10 per cent. heavier than the brain of the woman.

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